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P. & O.

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(Companies Incorporated in England.)

MAIL AND PASSENGER SERVICE.

P. & O. SAILINGS TO PLYMOUTH AND LONDON CALLING AT MARSEILLES.

All passengers are required to be in possession of passports.

DATE 1921.	STEAMER.	TONS.
23rd July	NARKUNDA*	16,118
30th "	MOREA	10,890
6th August	CALEDONIA	7,572
13th "	NOVAPA	6,850
0th "	MANTUA*	10,909
27th "	DEVANIA	8,092
3rd Sept.	DON GOLA	8,056
10th "	KAISDR-I-HIND	11,430
17th "	A Steamer	—
24th "	NALI ERA*	15,825
1st October,	PLASSY	7,346
8th "	MOREA	10,890
15th "	EGYPT	7,941
22nd "	CHINA	7,952
29th "	MALWA	10,941

*Through steamer from Australia.

NARKUNDA, MANTUA, NALDERA — Through steamers from Australia.

P. & O. MARSEILLES SPECIAL TRAIN. A special train leaves Marseilles for London, via Boulogne, shortly after the mail steamer's arrival.

P. & O. SAILINGS FOR THE STRAITS, CHINA AND AUSTRALIA.

DATE.	STEAMER.	REMARKS.
22nd July	DUNERA	To Colombo, Straits and China.
26th August	SOUDAN.*	To Colombo Straits and China.
29th July	NALDERA	* Colombo, Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne and Sydney.
26th August	MALWA	
23rd September	NARKUNDA	
21st October	MANTUA	

(Through steamer from London.) *

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First Saloon single ticket £18
Second Saloon single ticket 17

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SPECIAL SAILING DIRECT TO NEW YORK.

29th July — EUGHLI — Tons 5,232

Carries a limited number of first saloon passengers.

SAILINGS TO AFRICA, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF.

Date about	Steamer	—
21st July	LIGHTNING	Karachi and Persian Gulf.
22nd "	CHAKLA	Karachi direct.
23rd "	KARAGOLA	Basra direct
27th "	KAROA	East & South Africa

Terms and Rates of Freights and Passage for P. & O. and B. I. sailings may be arranged with.

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CALCUTTA TO HALIFAX DIRECT TAKING CARGO FOR TRANSHIPMENT.

Steamers Tons sailing about Remarks.
Canadian Leader 5 00 in August Montreal.

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OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

(Incorporated in Japan.)

REGULAR SERVICE TO JAPAN VIA SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamer	Captain	Arrival	Departure.
Sushu Maru	R. Hayashi	14th July	25th July
Atsuta Maru	M. Iriye	21st July	27th July
Kasado Maru	N. Yanagi	25th July	7th Aug.
Indus Maru	G. Matsuzaki	5th Aug.	17th Aug.

K. SHIMA,
Manager.

Nicol Road, Bombay.

SHIPPING.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,

Japan Mail Steamship Co., Ltd.
(Incorporated in Japan.)
REGULAR SERVICE TO JAPAN VIA SINGAPORE, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

Steamer.	Commander.	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
Tatsuno Maru	M. Furuhashi	6095	1st July	22nd "
Kenkon Maru	No. 8. N. Akai.	4668	9th "	23rd "
Calcutta Maru.	G. Matsushita	5339	23rd "	5th Aug.
‡Sanuki Maru	Y. Nakajima.	5872	29th "	2nd "
Totomi Maru.	T. Fukaura.	3352	31st "	12th "
Wakasa Maru	B. Tsuda.	6074	15th Aug.	29th "

‡ This steamer arrives from New York and sails for Calcutta via Colombo.

For Freight and passages apply to

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Manager.

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THE BANK OF INDIA LTD

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INCORPORATED UNDER THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VI OF 1882.

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BRANCH: AHMEDABAD.

	Rs.
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED	[illegible]
CAPITAL PAID-UP	1,99,99,920
RESERVE FUND	19,50,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest is allowed on daily balance from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000 AT THE RATE OF 2½ PER CENT. PER ANNUM THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000, interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 5 per half year.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Deposits are received fixed for one year or for shorter period at the rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK Accounts opened on [illegible] terms. Rules on applications.

R. A. DUNCAN FELLOW,
Manager.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

(REGISTERED IN JAPAN.)
(ESTABLISHED, 1887.)

Subscribed Capital	Yen. 100,000,000
Paid Up Capital	Yen. 100,000,000
Reserve Fund	Yen. 58,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: YOKOHAMA.
BRANCHES.

Batavia.	Kobe.	Saigon.
Bombay.	London.	San Francisco.
Buenos Aires.	Los Angeles.	Seattle
Calcutta.	Lyons.	Shanghai.
Changchun.	Manila.	Shimonoseki
Dairen.	Nagasaki.	Singapore.
Fengtian	Newchwang.	Sourabaya.
Hamburg.	New York.	Sydney.
Hankow.	Nagoya.	Tientsin.
Harbin.	Osaka.	Tokyo.
Hongkong.	Peking.	Tsinan.
Honolulu.	Rangoon.	Tsingtao
Kai Yuan.	Rio de Janeiro	Vladivostock

CURRENT DEPOSITS ACCOUNTS are opened for approved customers and interest is allowed at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 Rs. 1,00,000 provided that the amount of half-yearly interest is not less than Rs. 5.

FIXED DEPOSITS are received for one year or shorter period on terms which can be ascertained on application.

Every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted.

S. OHKURA,
Manager.

Sassoon Road, Bombay.

Post Box No. 292.

THE TATA INDUSTRIAL BANK, LIMITED

HEAD OFFICE: BOMBAY.

Subscribed Capital	Rs. 7,53,53,[illegible]
Paid-up Capital and Reserves	Rs. 1,53,13,07
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	Rs. 1,51,11,[illegible]

BRANCHES.

London Calcutta, Delhi, Cawnpore Hyderabad (Deccan), Lucknow, Madras, Rangoon

SUB-BRANCHES—

Bombay—Share Bazar 80, Apollo Street. Shroff Bazaar, 297 Bhaik Memon Street, and Mandvi, Murjibhoy Sundar Road.
Calcutta—Bora Bazaar.
Lucknow—Aminabad and Chandanal.
Cawnpore—Hatkras.
London Office: 9, Bishopsgate.
London, E. C
Sir D J Tata, Kt, Chairman, Board of Directors.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed on daily credit balances from Rs. 500/ to Rs. 1,00,000/ at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum, and on sums exceeding Rs 1,00,000/ interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest is allowed unless the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half-yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS.—Interest allowed Deposits fixed for one or two years and for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved Securities.

PURCHASES AND SALES OF Securities and Shares effected.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE purchased and collected and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

NOTICE to Savings Bank depositors from April 1st, 1921, interest on Saving Bank accounts has been INCREASED from 2 per cent. to 2½ per cent. per annum.

A. D. R. BUCKLEY.
General Manager.

BANKING.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

(Incorporated in Hongkong.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL	$15,000,000
STERLING RESERVE FUND	$ 3,000,000
SILVER RESERVE FUND	$21,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS	$15,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: HONGKONG.
LONDON OFFICE: 9, Gracechurch Street, E. C.
BOMBAY OFFICE: 40, Churchgate Street.

OTHER BRANCHES:

Amoy	Johore	Saigon
Bangkok	Kobe	San Francisco
Batavia	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
Calcutta	Lyons	Singapore
Canton	Malacca	Soerabaya
Colombo	Manila	Tientsin
Foochow	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Hankow	New York	Vladivostock
Harbin	Peking	Yokohama
Hongkong	Penang	
Ipoh	Rangoon	

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed half-yearly on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 at 2 per cent. per annum provided the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5.

FIXED DEPOSITS received for varying periods on terms which may be learnt on application.

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BRANCHES:

Amara	Bombay
Baghdad	Calcutta
Bahrein	Colombo
Basrah	Delhi
Basrah City	Mosul

Authorised Capital	£20,000,000
Paid-up Capital	£[illegible]
Reserve Fund	£ 200,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£1,000,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

The Rt. Hon. Lord Balfour of Burleigh, K.T., Chairman.
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INTEREST allowed on deposits fixed for one or two years at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and Fixed Deposits received for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

INTEREST allowed on Savings Deposit Accounts at 4 per cent. per annum. Copies of the Rules may be obtained on application.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE purchased. Loans and Credits granted on approved security and every description of Banking and Exchange Business undertaken. Purchases and sales of British and Foreign securities effected on usual terms.

SECURITIES received for safe custody and interest and dividends collected for clients.

L. F. TUCKER,
Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Subscribed Capital	£1,000,000
Paid-up Capital	£1,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£ 750,000
Reserve Fund	£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE.
14, Gracechurch Street, London, E. C.

LONDON BANKERS.
The Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES.

Bangkok	Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur
Batavia	Howrah	Madras
Bombay	(Calcutta)	Mauritius
Calcutta	Kandy	New York
Colombo	Karachi	Penang
Delhi	Kota Bhru	Rangoon
Galle	(Kalantan)	Shanghai
		Singapore

The Bank negotiates and collects Bills and grants Drafts payable at its Head Office and branches and issues Letters of Credit for the use of Travellers.

The Bank receives Deposits on the following terms:—

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

opened and interest allowed thereon at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances up to Rs. 1 lakh.

Every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business undertaken.

Sums above Rs. 1 lakh will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

NEW BRITISH WAR LOANS. The Bank undertakes applications for these Loans on account of Constituents and collection of interest therein as it falls due FREE OF COMMISSION.

J. M. CRICHTON,
Manager.

Esplanade Road, Bombay.

BANKING.

THE UNION BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	5,00,00,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	2,97,61,500
CALLED-UP CAPITAL	80,00,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL ON 18-8-20	59,76,150

HEAD OFFICE:
62-68, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.
SUB-BRANCHES:
Zaveri Bazar, 289, Shaik Memon Street.
LONDON AGENTS:
THE LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS:—Interest allowed 2½ per cent. per annum on DAILY BALANCES up to Rs. 1,00,000. From 1st January to 30th June interest at 3 per cent. per annum is allowed on sums over Rs. 50,000 provided the balance does not fall below that figure. No interest is allowed unless the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half-yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year and for shorter periods on rates to be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANKS. Interest allowed at per cent. per annum. Rules on application.

LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved securities at favourable rates.

SHARES AND SECURITIES purchased and sold.

Banking business of every description transacted.

A. N. OLIPHANT.
As Manager.

ALLAHABAD BANK, LTD.

ESTABLISHED 1865.

AUTHORISED AND SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Rs. 40,00,000
CAPITAL CALLED UP	Rs. 35,50,000
RESERVE FUND IN GOVERNMENT PAPER	Rs. 35,50,000
CONTINGENCY FUND for equalisation of Dividend, Provision for bad or doubtful debts, adjusting fluctuations in values of investments or etc.	Rs. 6,00,000

HEAD OFFICE:—ALLAHABAD.
BRANCHES.

Bombay, Bareilly, Calcutta, Cawnpore, Delhi, Dehra Dun, Gorakhpur, Jhansi, Jubbulpore, Lucknow, Meerut, Mussoorie, Naini Tal, Nagpur, Patna.

SUB-AGENCIES.

Allahabad City Office, Amritsar, Aminabad Park (Lucknow) Benares, Cawnpore City Office, Chandausi, Fyzabad, Hathras, Lucknow City Office Lyallpur, Moradabad, Muttra, Rae Bareili, Sitapur.

CORRESPONDENTS. In all the principal Towns throughout India.

LONDON BANKERS.—The P. & O. Banking Corporation, Limited. The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS. Interest at 2 per cent. allowed on balances from Rs. 500 to Rs. 100,000 provided the interest amounts to Rs. 5 per half year.

FIXED DEPOSITS. Received for long or short periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS. Small sums received. Copy of Rules can be obtained on application. Government Paper and other securities purchased and sold, the Custody thereof undertaken and interest and dividends realised. Loans and Cash Credits granted.

Currency Notes of any Circle Cheques and Hundies are received for credit in Fixed Deposit account free of charge. Banking business of every description transacted. Copy of Rules may be had on application at the Head Office and at any of the Branches.

T. L. FOREMAN,
Agent.

Bombay Branch,
Allahabad Bank Buildings,
Apollo Street, Bombay.

THE PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 14TH MAY, 1895.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Capital Authorised	50,00,000	0	0
Capital Issued	50,00,000	0	0
Capital Subscribed	47,25,000	0	0
Capital Paid-up	18,33,254	15	0
Reserve Funds	15,70,284	2	0

Dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum has been declared by the Bank on paid-up capital.

HEAD OFFICE: LAHORE.
BRANCHES:

Amritsar	Hyderabad (Sindh)	Multan City
Bombay	Jullundur	Montgomery
Cawnpore	Jammu	Peshawar City
Calcutta	Jhelum City	Patiala
Delhi	Karachi	Quetta
D. I. Khan	Kasur	Rawalpindi
Ferozepore	Lahore City	Sargodha
Gujranwalla	Lyallpur	Sialkot
Gojra	Ludhiana	Srinagar
Hapur		Umballa City
Moshiarpur		

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened and interest allowed at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.

FIXED DEPOSITS are received for months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSIT.—Sums as low as Rs. 5 received and interest allowed at 3½ per cent. per annum.

LOANS, OVERDRAFTS and CASH CREDITS.—The Bank grants accommodation of terms to be arranged against approved security.

CHEQUES, HUNDIS, BILLS, etc., of outstations are bought, collected and discounted.

INLAND TRADE BILLS, etc., of approved customers discounted and Demand Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers issued on station where the Bank has Branches and Agencies.

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HEAD OFFICE:—Fort Bombay.
BRANCHES:—Shroff Bazar (Bombay) Surat.

LONDON AGENTS:—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital	Rs. 1,00,00,000
Paid-Up Capital	Rs. 40,40,000
Reserve Liability for Calls	Rs. 60,00,000
Reserve and Contingency Funds	Rs. 2,60,000

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.—Interest at 2 per cent. all round the year on sums not below Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000.

FIXED DEPOSITS:—Received for 12 months and shorter periods.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS:—Received 4 per cent.

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Head Office—APOLLO STREET, FORT.
Branch:—MUMBADEVI (in the City).

AUTHORIZED & ISSUED CAPITAL	Rs. 10,00,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	10,40,000
RESERVE FUND	97,407
CONTINGENCY FUND	1,15,700

DIRECTORS.

Sir Goculdas Kahandas Parekh, Kt., Chairman.
The Hon. Mr. Mahomed Hajeebhoy, (Messrs. Hajeebhoy Lalji & Co.)
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Naranji Dayal, Esq. (Messrs. Premchand Chhaganlal & Co.).
Krishnadas Goverdhandas Mandiwala, (Messrs. Sakharam Manoharam).
Gopaldas Tricumji Jivandas, Esq. (Messrs. Tricumji Jivandas), Managing Director.

CURRENT DEPOSITS—Interest allowed at 3 per cent. per annum on Rs. 500 to Rs 1,00,000.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS—Interest allowed at 5 per cent. per annum.

FIXED DEPOSITS—Interest allowed at 6½ per cent. per annum on Rs. 500 and upwards for twelve months. Rates for short term deposit may be ascertained from the Bank.

LOANS, CASH CREDITS AND OVER DRAFTS given on approved securities.

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GOPALDAS TRICAMJI.
Managing Director.

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Jamnadas Dwarkadas, Esq., (Pragjee Sewji & Co.).
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or
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Total Assets.		£23,70,000

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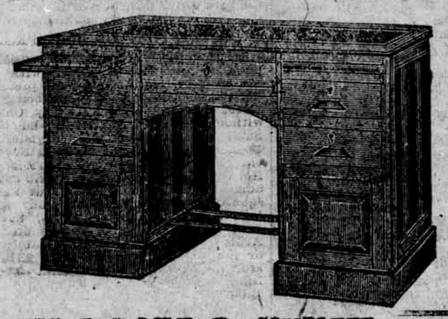

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On account of the parties concerned.
2 bales all wool serge blue.
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Under instructions from Messrs. Kharas and Co. Attorneys for the mortgagees Jethabhai Hirjee, Kermsey Hirjee, and Devejee Hirjee & on account & risk of mortgagor late Bai Dhunbaiji, widow of Sorabjee Jamasjee Khajotia's heirs Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co will sell by Public Auction on SATURDAY, the 23rd July, 1921, at 4-30 p.m., (S.T.), on the Premises the property hereunder described:—

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of pension and Tax Land or ground together with messuage tenements hereditaments and premises standing thereon situate lying and being at Trinity Street otherwise called Trinity Chapel Street without the Fort in Island and Registration Sub-District of Bombay Registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 215 and new No. 1B/1672 old survey No. 7 and New Survey No. 4/8273 containing by admeasurement 95 square yards and 1/9 of a square yard or thereabouts and bounded as follows.—That is to say on or towards the East by the Agiary or Parsee fire Tample of Avabai widow of Ardeshir Sorabjee Wadia on or towards the west by the Trinity Street aforsaid on or towards the North by the Agiary or Parsee Fire Tample of Rustomjee Ladawala and on or towards the South by the property of lately belonging to Nusserwanjee Mancherjee and now of Nowrojee Pestonji contractor and which said Premises were formerly assessed by the Collector of Municipal Taxes under number 34 and are now assessed underward Nos. 2373 and 2374 and Street Nos. 63 65 (1) and are now in occupation of the mortgagor and his tenants.

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Bombay, 23rd July, 1921.

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Bombay, 22nd July, 1921.

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SALE OF DRAB FORAGE CAPS AND KULAHS.

By order of the Controller (Sales) Surplus Government Stores.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co., will by order of the Controller (Sales), Surplus Government Stores, sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, 26th July, 1921, at 3 p.m. (S.T.) at Muljee Jetha Market Champa Gulley and on the open space opposite Sancha Gulley the following:

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BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

TENDERS for The Supply of Pig Iron will be received up to 1 p.m. (Bombay Time) on the 4th day of August, 1921

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner and should be delivered at the office of the Chief Accountant.

Forms of contract, specification, etc., will be issued to any one deputed to receive them by the undersigned, who will, on application, give any further information that may be required.

By order of the Municipal Commissioner,
E. J. HALE,
Storekeeper.

Storekeeper's Office, Byculla
21st July, 1921.
C10168

THE CHINA MILLS, LIMITED.

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the China Mills, Ltd., in Voluntary Liquidation, are hereby requested to submit same to us at the Registered Office of the Company, 2-6, Forbes Street, Fort, not later than 31st day of July 1921.

All claims received after the above date will not be considered as the affairs of the Company are being wound up

N. WHADDIA,
MAFATLAL GAGALBHAI,
Liquidators.

Bombay, 21st July, 1921. C 10173

THE PLANATE MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company held on the 22nd day of July, 1921, a Dividend for the half year ended 31st March, 1921, at the rate of Rs. 15 per share (Free of Income Tax) has been declared and made payable at the Registered Office of the Company No. 43a, Apollo Street, Fort, on and after MONDAY, the 1st August, 1921 between 12 noon and 4 p.m. (S. T.) to those shareholders whose names stand on the Register of the Company on the 19th day of July, 1921. The dividend warrants will be posted to each Shareholder to his last given address.

By order of the Board,
AHMED RAHIM & SON,
Agents.
C 10179

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undermentioned share certificates standing in the name of Mr. A. S. Dajee and the undersigned are stolen from my house. Public are warned not to deal with any of these shares. If they do so, they will do so at their own risk. Any person being in possession of share certificates or claiming any interest in the said shares is requested to make known the same to the respective Companies at their Registered Office and to the undersigned within fortnight from the date hereof, after which the Companies will be requested to issue duplicates thereof.

Name of the Coy.	Share Certificates Numbers.	Standing in the name of
Bamanqua Manganese	50 Shares. 19831/19840 19856/19895	A. S. Dajee
The Wadia Woollen Mills Limited.	25 Shares. 81743/81767	A. S. Dajee
The Wadia Woollen Mills Llmited.	25 Shares. 81718/81742	D. S. Dajee
Crescent Mills, Ltd.	5 Shares. 2652/53, 5929 12547, 7569	" " "
Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd.	5 Ordinary Shares. 1156/1160	" " "
Bombay Elec. Supply and Tramways Coy. Ltd.	5 Shares. 94978/94982	" " "
The Sidley Ice Mfg. Coy. Ltd.	50 Shares. 851/900	" " "
Tata Industrial Bank Ltd.	20 Shares. 191947/191966	" " "
Madan Theatres Ltd.	30 Shares.	" " "

DORABJEE SHAPOORJEE DAJEE.
C10170

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.

IT has been decided to hold the 2ND ANNUAL CONFERENCE of the Mamlatdars in the Bombay Presidency on 14th and 15th August, 1921, at Poona.

F. G. H. Anderson, Esquire, I.C.S., has kindly consented to preside on the occasion.

All the Mamlatdars in the Presidency should please make it a point to attend.

I. B. SHAIKH,
President,
Bombay Presidency Mamlatdars' Association.

Poona, 16-7-1921.
C10125

NOTICE.

WITH reference to the advertisement appearing in the issue of the "Bombay Chronicle" of the 9th instant and other local newspapers regarding the Auction Sale of the landed property, situate at Chuell Road, Mahim described in the Schedule thereto by Messrs Bennett and Co., Auctioneers on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of August, 1921, on account and at the risk of our client Mr. AHMED ABDUL SATTAR, it is notified to the public that our said client has nothing to do with the said property and that such sale as aforesaid would be on account and at the risk of Pandurang V. Patil. The said Pandurang v. Patil has failed to make out a marketable title to the said property as agreed and has committed a breach of the said agreement. Any intending purchaser will purchase the property at his risk and will be deemed to have purchased the property with full knowledge of our clients contentions and claims.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1921.

MANTRI & Co.,
Solicitors.
C 10176

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUMMONS FOR SETTLEMENTS OF ISSUES.

(ORDER 5, RULES 1 AND 5.)

IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE AT JHANSI, DISTRICT JHANSI.

Suit No. 190 of 1921.

Firm Saru Dhunde, Resident at Kaunch ..... Plaintiff

versus

Firm Narayan Das Faqirchand ... Defendant.

To

Firm NARAYAN DAS FAQIRCHAND, Resident at Ahmad-Nagar through Jagannath, adopted son of Faqirchand Yaish, Resident of Ahmad-Nagar.

dwelling at

WHEREAS Plaintiff has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 2,261/4/3, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court, in person or by a pleader duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions, on the 24th (Twenty-fourth) day of August, 1921, at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim, and you are directed to produce on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day before-mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 13th day of July, 1921.

NARAYAN A. MUNSARIM.

NOTICE 1.—Should you apprehend your witnesses will not attend of their own accord, you can have a summons from this Court to compel the attendance of any witness, and the production of any document that you have a right to call on the witness to produce, on applying to the Court and on depositing the necessary expenses.

2.—If you admit the claim, you should pay the money into Court together with costs of the suit, to avoid execution of the decree, which may be against your person or property, or both.

C10171

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of OOMER AHMED SHAH, late of Bombay, Soorti Suni Mahomedan Inhabitant, a Merchant and a widower ..... Deceased.

CHANDMIYA AHMED SHAH and MARIMBAI, widow of Fazal bin Karim Mahomed, both residing at Nagdevi Street, without the Fort of Bombay ..... Petitioners.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings, if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this twenty-fourth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one and in the Twelfth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABARI,
Registrar.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.

The 24th day of June, 1921.

Messrs. MULLA & MULLA,
Petitioners' Attorneys.
C10172

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KHULSUM BAI, widow of Meherali Mamad Fakira, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant has agreed to sell the immoveable property described in the schedule hereunder written to our client Mr. POORANMAL GOOLJEE SINGHANEE. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lien or otherwise howsoever is or are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at No. 56, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, (if any), shall be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground being portions of Revision Survey Nos. 57, 58, 59, containing by admeasurement two acres or thereabouts and situate in the Civil Lines, Poona, on the Koregaon Road in the village of Munjeri in the Registration Sub-district of Haveli, Zilla Poona and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by Survey No. 63, on or towards the West by riding path and beyond it the Koregaon Road, on or towards the North by the portion of the said Revision Survey Nos. 57, 58 and 59 on or towards the South by the portion of the said Revision Survey Nos. sold to Mr. Sorabji Dadabhai Bhedwar.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1921.

PURUSHOTTAMRAI & Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
C 10178

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act VII of 1913.

and

In the matter of the Anglo-India and Colonial Navigation Co., Ltd. (In Liquidation).

THE CREDITORS of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 20th day of September, 1921, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their attorneys, (if any), to the undersigned the Official Liquidator of the said Company, at his office 57, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, and if so, required by notice in writing from the Official Liquidator are in person or by their attorneys to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution before such debts are proved.

The 1st day of October, 1921, at 1 o'clock in the noon, at the office of the said Liquidator is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated, at Bombay this 19th day of July, 1921.

Per Pro. N. H. Moos,
GIRDHARLAL H. MEHTA,
Official Liquidator.
C10148

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

Liverpool, 19th July 1921

	Bales
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool, ...	14,000
„ „ Sales on Spec. & for Exp. ..	..
„ „ Sales of East Indian ..	200
„ „ Imports	..

EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES:—

Mid Americans Spot Good demand	—	8.77
Egyptian F. G. F. Sakels ..	.. ..	16 50
New York, 11 a.m.	July —	12 18
	Oct. —	12 77
	Jan. —	13 26

(As known in Liverpool at—closing time.)

New Orleans 10 a.m. — —	July ..	11 51
„ „ „	Oct. —	12 29

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, 19th July, 1921.

Months	To-day's Prices.
July	8 42
August	8 53
September	8 63
October	8 70
November	8 73
December	8 78
January	8 79
February	8 81
March	8 84
April ..	8 86
May ..	8 89
June ..	8 90

Tone:—Quiet but Steady

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, 19th July, 1921.

M. G. Bengal, Good	5.00
„ „ Fully Good	5.50
„ „ Fine	5.75
„ „ No. 1 Oomra, Good ..	6.10
„ „ „ Fully Good	6.60
„ „ „ Fine	6.85
„ M.G. Broach, Good ..	7.65
„ „ Fully Good	7.90
„ „ Fine	8.15
„ Scinde, Good ..	4.88
„ „ „ Fully Good	5.38
„ „ Fine	5.63

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, 19th July, 1921

Months	To-day's Prices.
July ..	14 80
Aug. ..	14.80
Sept. ..	14.90
Oct. ..	15.00
Nov. ..	15 10
Dec. ..	15 10
Jan. ..	15.10

Manchester Market:—Fairly strong, small sales
Yarns:—Limited request.

New York, 20th June, 1921.

Demand Bills 358 25

EXCHANGE.

London, 20th July, 1921.

On London in Paris	46 31
In Germany	275 00
in Italy	79 90

EXCHANGE ON CONTINENTAL CENTRES

MIDDLE QUOTATIONS.

Stockholm	17.28
Christiana	27 78
Amsterdam ..	11 38 1/2
Switzerland ..	21 86
Belgium	47 63
Athens	69 50

Liverpool 20th July 1921:

Mid Americans spot	8.70
EgyptianF. G. F. Sad.	16.50

JAVA SUGAR.

London, 20th July, 1921

Fine White Java, C. & F Calcutta Sept. Sellers	—21/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay Sept .Sellers	—22/6
Fine White Java C. & F. Karachi Sept. Sellers	22/9

TONE:—Very firm, Good business doing.

DISCOUNTS.

London, 20th July, 1921.

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st ..	4 7/8
— Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5
— Fine Trade Bill 3 m/st	6 1/8
— — 6 —	6 1/2

METAL REPORT.

COPPER Standard Gr M. B.	£70 1/4
„ Best English Selected	£70
TIN BLOCK — — —	£159 1/2

LINSEED.

LINSEED Calcutta Pure Basis Bags

July August Buyers	£24
July August paid ..	24 1/8
July August Sellers ..	24 1/4
... OIL Naked Spot Net ...rs..	—38/0
...paid	38 3/8

...lly steady.

... MARKETS.

...TON.

New York 19th July 1921

...ll U. S. Ports	20.000
...reat Britain	11.000
Continent	20,050
...rk ...rk July	12.37
Oct.	12.89
Jan.	13.30
... York	12.85
... Orleans	11 75

...Cotton:—

...ans — August	11.67
Oct	12.43
... quality	6 7/16
— —	3.59.75
...s U S mined	99-1/4
...n	59 1/2

CLOSING PRICES.

New York, 21st July, 1921.

...tures at New York	July	12.88
	Oct.	13 25
	Jan	13 52

Liverpool 21st July, 1921.

...otto ...ty. Mid. U.G.O.C.	July	8 43
	Oct.	8.66
Liverpool	Jan	8 79
	Mar.	8 86

London, 21st July, 1921.

Telegraph Transfers —	1/3 7 16	Steady
Bar Gold— —	5/14/11	Firm
Bar Silver Spot— —	—38	Unsettled

MONEY MARKET.

London, 19th July, 1921.

...ntes 3½ —	56 1/2
Bar Silver Spot —	37 3 8
„ 2 months hence	36 3/4

Closing Tone of Silver:—

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	4 7 8
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 1/8
„ Fine Trade Bills 3 months	6 1/8
„ „ „ „ 6 „	6 1/2
Bar Gold (per oz)	—
Interest day to day loans —	3/0
„ 7 day Market loans	4 3/8

Amount Paid in-to the Bank of England £6 p/o. since 23rd u timo.

WHEAT.

London, 19th July, 1921.

ROZARIO SANTA FE—62 1/2 lbs. July August Nominal — 75/4
BARLETTA RUSSO—62 1/2 lbs, sellers 76/6
AUSTRALIAN F.A.Q. Nominal — 76/6
KARACHI BARLEY Fall — — 76/6
WHEAT Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C. I. F. not quoted — —

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	£14 1/2
Hongkong „	95
National „	38

SEEDS.

London. 19th July, 1921.

RAPESEED, Ferozepore Best Bold July–August — — Nominal £21 3 4
RAPESEED, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-August, — Nominal £21
TONE OF RAPESEED:—
LINSEED, Bombay per 416 lbs ex Ship July–August Firm. — £24 1 4
TONE OF LINSEED:—
LINSEED, Argentine (La Plata) July August Paid firmer — — £22 1/4
A. S. paid — — — £22 1/4
COTTONSEED Bombay (sound delivered per ton) July-August Buyers — £11/0
Do. Sellers firm — £11 3/4
TORIA RAPESEED July August Tending upward, .. — £22 3/4

METALS.

London, 19th July, 1921.

English best Selected Copper ..	£ 70/0
Standard Copper G. M. B. ..	£ 70 7/8
Copper Braziers ..	£ 105
Yellow Metal ..	£ 9 1/2
Hard Spelter ..	£ 21
Corrugated Sheets ..	£ 23 1/2

EXCHANGE.

On London at Paris. — ..France 46 36

WAR LOANS, ETC.

Funding Loans 4% 1960/90 ..	£70 1/4
Victory Bounds 4% ..	£ 76 1/8
War Loans 5% 1929/47 ..	£ 87 7/8
Consols 2 1/2% ..	£ 47 7/8
Rupee Paper 3 1/2% ..	£ 37
Indian Stock-3 1/2% Sterling Loans	38
Government Securities 3% ..	£ 51 1/4

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure August Sept...11
Tone:—
Plantation First Later Crepe — 9 3/4
Tone:—rather irregular,

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

COTTON.

Liverpool, 20th July, 1921.

Months	To-days Prices.
July ..	8 52
Aug. ..	8 62
Sept. ..	..
Oct. ..	8 79
Nov. ..	..
Dec. ..	8 88
Jan. ..	8 88
Feb. ..	—
Mar. ..	8 92
April ..	—
May ..	—
June ..	—

BOMBAY MARKET.

COTTON.

(From our Correspondent)

July 22.

The Marwari Bazar opened this morning for Fine M. G. Oomra September at Rs. 348½ and steadily advanced till Rs. 351 which was the rate at 3 p.m.. The rate for F. G. M. G. Broach July-August was also Rs. 351. The Bazar finally closed at Rs. 353. At Colaba the market opened at Rs. 353 and closed at Rs. 352.

Our market for ready cotton was steady yesterday. There was a fairly good inquiry from shippers for high class Bengals and Oomras and about 5,000 bales are reported to have changed hands yesterday.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS (6 p.m.)

Bombay, 22nd July, 1921.

Fully Good Broach July-August	352
„ „ Bengal July ..	297
„ „ September	303
Fine Oomra July ..	345
„ „ September	353

COTTON CONTRACTS BOARD QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, 22nd July 1921.

F. G. Broach July August,	—	351
Fully Good Bengal	July,	295
Fully Good Bengal September	—	305
Fine Oomra's	July,	345
„ „	September,	353

SPOT QUOTATION.

Bombay, 22nd July, 1921.

Description		Super-Fine	F. Good			
M. G. Bengal and Sind Punjab	..	314	290	282	..	
M. G. Oomra's	No. 4	357	347	327	—	..
M.G. Central P.	No. 1	387	377	357	—	..
M.G. Central P.	No. 2	372	362	342	..	..
M.G. Broach	..	361	351	336	..	
Southerns 7	—	..	373	363	348	

RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce etc., for the 48 hours ending 6 p.m. on 21st July, 1921.

Cotton	10,138	Bales.
Wheat	13,951	Cwts.
Linseed	11062	„
Rape seed	2564	„
Gingellyseed	Nil	„
Popyseed ..	305	„
Groundnuts	Nil	„
Castorseed	32	„
Rice	5,510	„
Myrabollams	1,637	„
Cottonseed	1,496	„
Mowraseed	Nil	„
Gram	3,250	„
Jawar	Nil	„
Masur	Nil	„
Barley	873	„
Bajra	437	„
Coal	7,861	Tons.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS

Bombay, 22nd July, 1921.

		Market Rates.
Bank Telegraphic	1-3	5/16
Bank Demand	1-3	11 32
Do. Acceptance 3m/s.	1-3	3/4
Fes. Demand		290
American Dollars		443
Hongkong Dollars		218
Shanghai		—
Japan		211 1/2
Singapore		181

Market:—Steady.

THE METAL MERCHANTS COMPANY.

Iassued Rates for Brass and Copper

Daily Quotations.

22nd July, 1921.

	Per Maund.	Rs.	a.	p.
Brass	3/4	83	0	0
Do.	1	83	0	0
Do.	1 1/4	83	0	0
Do.	1 1/2	83	0	0
Do.	1 3/4	86	0	0
Do.	2	86	0	0

COPPER RATES.

Bombay, 20th July, 1921.

	por Maund,	Rs.	a.	p.
Copper	3/4	84	8	0
Do.	1	89	0	0
Do.	1 1/4	94	0	0
Do.	1 1/2	94	0	0
Do.	1 3/4	94	0	0
Do.	2	94	0	0
Japanese Copper Barrs.	..	..		
Panch and Icies		25	0	0
Copper English Brass		59	0	0
Brass-Barrs		38	0	0
Lead		53	0	0

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The Bombay Wheat ans Seeds Daily Quotations

Bazar Rates.

6 30 p.m. 22nd July, 1921 — Bazzar Terms,

Ready	Rs.	a.	p.
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	73	0	0
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70 30	72	0	0
Whar, Karachi Bangla	74	0	0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	13	0	0
Rapeseed, Cawnpore	13	0	0
Linseed, Brown Bold ..	14	0	0
Linseed, Brown Thin ..	17	0	0
Teelseed, White 85-15	15	8	0
Teelseed, Gajar 75-25	80	0	0
Teelseed, Gajar 50-50	75	0	0
Teelseed, Black	70	0	0
Poppuyseed, White	65	0	0
Groundnuts	17	0	0
Mowrseed	82	0	0
Barley ..	8	8	0
Castorseed	51	0	0
Vras Cotton Seeds	44	0	0

Forward	Rs.	a.	p.
Wheat April May	—		
Wheat June-July			
Wheat Sept. ..	10	8	0
Wheat Oct.- Nov.	..		
Linseed May ..	..		
Linseed Sept.	18	9	6
Lineseed Dec.	..		
Rapeseed April-May	..		
Rapeseed June-July	..		
Teelseed Gajar 8515 Dec. Jan.	..		
Teelseed Gajar 75-25 Dec. Jan.	..		
Teelseed Gajar 50-50 Dec. Jan.	—		
Wheat June-July	—		
Wheat Vug. Sept.	—		
Wheat Oct. Nov.	—		
Linseed Sept.	—		
Linseed Dec.	—		

PIECE-GOODS.

July 22.

A slightly better feeling has been noticeable in the Cloth Market during the past week. Anxiety to a great extent has been removed by the favourable turn of the monsoon. The timely rains have fallen throughout India and hopes are entertained for a brisk demand in the near future. On the other hand, the movement for the boycott of foreign piece-goods is having an adverse effect on the demand from up-country, and it is left to be seen how far it becomes successful. Anyhow it has put a check to free buying and merchants are afraid to commit themselves to any fresh transactions, and are rather anxious to get rid of their stocks. It is reported that several consumers have given up the use of foreign cloth, merely for the sake of sentiment, and this feeling is gradually spreading in several consuming districts. Transactions in the bazaar have been very few and deliveries have been poor. Fresh shipments have arrived, which will be a drag on the market, owing to the high cost of the goods and on account of the exchange which is still unfavourable. Some goods have been offered for sale here by merchants of the sister markets, but buyers prefer to await further developments before increasing their commitments. Rupee rates remain unchanged.

The Manchester Market has been carefully watching the movements on this side. The boycott movement directly affects the Lancashire trade. Now that the makers are free from the labour trouble and the coal shortage, they will naturally reduce their quotations as soon as they are in need of business. Karachi and Calcutta dealers are reported to have bought some fair lines of white goods. Some importing firms here are not anxious to do fresh business, until they are relieved to a fair extent of the stocks held on the account of dealers.

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

BOMBAY, July 22.

Bars Gold Rs. 32/14/0
Bars Silver Ready 101-5-6

EXCHANGE.

T T on London 1/3 11/32
D D on Paris 290
3 M/st D A 320
T T on Japan 211
London Gold Ready 114-11
London Silver spot D 38
London Silver forward 37 3/4
American Cross rate 3.58½
Paris Cross rate 46.30

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

3½ per cent Paper 60
4½ per cent Conversion Loan 75
5 per cent War Loan 83
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1922 100/6
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1928 100/4
4 per cent Port Trust 1974 65
6 per cent Port Trust 1930 96
4 per cent Municipal 1974 65
6 per cent Municipal 1929 to 49 96

SHARES.

Market closed strong owing to Speculators buying.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange:—

COTTON MILLS.

Ah Advance 2575; By Cotton 1360; By Dyeing 1850; Century 1195; Cent India 4620; Colaba Land 3000; Coorla 3025; Crescent 790; Currimbhoy 1985; Edw Sassoon 620; Ind Bleaching 260; Kastoorchand 1540; Kohinoor 3660; Morarji 7025; New Great 1080; Pabani 1015; Pearls 1460; Phoenix 1260; Swan 1360; Swadeshi 5045; Simplex 945; Shapurji 482/8 and Tata Mill 1880.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Andhra Valley 800; Alcock 825; B Burma 545; B Burma N I 170 pr; B Burma pet 14/4; B Tramway 132/8; Bundi Cement 51; Ind Cement 350; Katni Ord 295; Katni Defd 1300 xd; New India Insur 22/8; Tata Iron Ord 113/12, Tata Iron Defd 660; Tata New Ord 100; Tata Iron N Dfd 560; Tata Hydro 940; Tata Oil 95 and Scindia Steam 9/8.

LOCAL MARKET.

A very limited business was done in Fully Good Broach July/August 1921 opening at Rs. 345 on the 15th July and closed at Rs. 350 on the 21st July 1921.

At present extensive forward business in Fine Oomras for September delivery, is going in Marwari Bazar, rates opening at Rs. 346 on the 15th, went up to Rs 355 on the 18th a.nd closed yesterday evening at Colaba at Rs 351. We advise buying September Oomra at about Rs 340.

READY MARKET.

There was an extensive demand for ready cotton by mills owing to good advance in yarn market for China. Exporters for Japan and Europe also bought moderately with some advance in prices for rice lots only. About 80,000 bales are reported to have been sold with somewhat better prices for nice lots of old and new cotton. We expect better prices will be paid for nice lots later in the season.

HOME MARKETS.

During the week under review prices dropped few points as will be seen from the table below. Advices about cotton crops are rather mixed but on the whole they are not promising. Serious damage to the crop by Boll-weevils reported.

Week commencing from 13th July to 20th July 1921.

Liverpool spot 1921 8.67 8.80 plus 13.
New York spot 1921 12.70 12.70 unchanged.
Liverpool July 1921 8.52 8.41 minus 11
Liverpool October 1921 8.79 8.69 minus 10
New York July 1921 12.44 12.20 minus 24
New York October 1921 13.13 12.76 minus 37

COLOUR-MARKET.

July 22.

The market had no important fluct... The demand is poor from the mofussil. Alizarine 20 per cent had some business at Rs. 115 per cwt. Congo-Red had also some inquiry at the market rates. Other colours were not in demand. The tone is steady.

Quotations:—
Alizarine Bra 40 per cent Rs. 3/12/0 per lb.
Alizarine 20 per cent (Bolt) Rs 160 per cwt
Congo-Red Rs. 3/4/0 to 4 per lb
Direct Green Rs. 4/8/0 per lb.
Direct Orange Rs. 3/8/0 per lb.
Fast Red (Madrasi) Rs. 11 to 12 per lb
Magenta Crystals Rs 13 per lb
Crysophenine Rs 6 per lb,
Methyl Violet Rs. 8 per lb
Scarlet R R Rs 3/2/0 per lb
Malachite Green Rs 8/9 per lb
Nigrosene Crystals Rs 3/8/0 per lb
Sulpher Black Rs 2/8/0 to 2/12/0 per lb

CHEMICAL-MARKET.

July 22.

Among sizing starches Farina has kept in demand, and the rate has again considerably advanced. There is slight scarcity in the market which has again forced up the market. Sago and Maize starch are quiet without appreciable fluctuations.

Heavy chemicals have fair demand, though various chemicals have seen no further rise in value. Caustic Soda is steady. Bleaching powder has been in demand, especially U. A. quality. Bichromate of soda and Potash are poor in demand, and the rates have slightly sagged. Aniline salt has been offered at Rs. 1-1-0 per lb. Antimony salt is without enquiry and is quoted at Rs. 2 per lb.

Home offers for German chemicals have been easier, and the increased facilities in shipping have tended to bring down the values of chemicals especially those manufactured in Germany.

The quotations:—

Sago flour Rs. 13; Farina K Rs. 25/8; Maize starch Rs. 26; Bichromate of Potash Rs. 85; Bichromate of Soda Rs. 80; Zinc Chloride Rs. 37; Aniline Salt Rs. 1-1-0; Antimony Salt Rs. 2; Epsom Salt Rs. 10/8/-; Glauber Salt Rs. 6; Yellow pnessiate Potash Rs. 1-12-0; Sodium Sulphide Rs. 36; Bleaching Powder Rs. 26

MILL STORES

July 22.

The tone of the market was rather dull. Inquiry was small. 32" and 36" Healds and Reeds were in demand, the price for Healds being Rs. 3-10-0, whereas, Reeds were quoted at As. 6. Egyptians Ropes and Bandings are poor in demand, and the market has no lively features in these commodities at present. Leather sundries are practically quiet. The demand in general has weakened, however, a fresh and healthy activity is anticipated in very near future.

The quotations are as under:—
Healds Rs. 3-6-0
Reeds As. 5
Roller cloth K Rs. 12
Sizing flannels Rs. 6 to 8
Slubbings Rs. 44
Rowings Rs. 35
Conical Pirns 5" Rs 9
Ring Rabbeth 5" Rs. 13
Cyl and Dof Fillet Rs 1-8-0
Emery fillet Rs 0-4-0

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

July 22.

We have to report a steadier market during the week with good demand and higher advices from all quarters and prices for ready sugars have been advanced by twelve annas per cwt. all round. Forward positions are in good demand and a large business has been done amongst dealers and speculators in white Java August-September shipment at 21s. to 23s. per cwt. Free Bombay Harbour. Karachi and Calcutta markets remain strong in sympathy with strong reports from Java with large business doing. Java market keeps very strong with many buyers chiefly Japanese and Chinese and a large business has been done in Whites at 11¼ to 13¼ gilders and Brown at 10½ to 11½ gilders. Home market keeps steady and a small quantity of Belgian Guaranteed Sugar has been sold for our market at 23s. per cwt. Free Bombay Harbour. American market remains steady without any change.

The following are the Bazar rates and stocks:—

T. M. O. Rs. 27-4-0 equal to 25s. 6d. F. B. Harbour, stocks 75,000 bags.

Mauritius Rs. 25-0-0 to 26-0-0. stocks 15,000 bags.

Arrivals:—

S. S. Hedjaz from Mauritius with 6,500 bags of sugar.

S. S. Garna from Java with 60,000 bags of sugar.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 21.

The market for jute shares ruled quiet with only small business reported. Coal shares were in strong demand with keen buyers of Borrea. Bhulanbararee, Kosoonda, Bengal and Standard and many other cheaper securities. Miscellaneous section ruled quiet but steady with demand for flour shares, Titaghur Paper was asked for and Dunbar Cotton rulled steady throughout the day. Following were closing quotations:—

Coal:—Bansra 11-12 and 12 odd lot, Baraboni 17-4, Bansjorah 24-12, Bhalgora 32-4 s.l., Bhulanbararee 62-8, Borrea 33-4, Burra Dhemo 10-14, Burrakur 55, Caledonian 8, Central Pench 12-8, Equitable 38-4, East Indian 42-4, Ghusick 26-4, Imperial 8-14, Kalapahari 23-4, Karanpura Development 56, Khas Jherria 79-8, Kosoonda Nyadee 32-8, Marine A 12-8, New Beerbhoom 37-4, New Tetturya 14, Raneegunge 64-8.

Jute:—Clive 28-4, Dalhousie 302, Howrah 85-12, Hooghly 67, Lansdowne 218 s.l., Reliance 32, Union 400, Waverley 8, Kankinarrah 358.

Miscellaneous:—Bengal Paper 71, British India Corporation 11, Dunbar Cotton 455, Hatirkool Oil 8-6, Ivan Jones 9-8, Indo Burmah Tin 5-14, Imperial Bank (fully paid) 1190 x.d., Imperial Bank (country) 322, Indian Iron and Steel (ord) 64, Keoram Cotton 15-12, Madan Theatres Ltd. 10, New Savan Sugar 10-6, Russa Engineering 91, Somastipur Sugar 13-4, Titaghur Paper 31-10, United Flour 35-4.

Government Paper 3½ per cent. was quoted at Rs. 59-8 and small lots were done at Rs. 59-12. War Bonds short loans at 100-6, 1925 at 100-4, 1928 at 100-4 and 1930 at 100 per cent.

Imperial Bank of India Calcutta rate for demand loans remains unchanged being five per cent.

Exchange:—Bank Telegraphic Transfer one shilling three and five sixteenth pence, and Demand Bills one shilling three and eleven thirty-two pence.

THE CENTRAF BANK OF INDIA LTD

Following is the statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Central Bank of India, Ltd.., for the Fort-night ended 15th July:

LIABILITIES.

Capital Subscribed Rs. One crore; Capital Paid up Rs. 49,99,000; Reserve Fund, Rs. 20,00,000; Fixed Deposits, Current Accounts, &c., Rs. 13,91,22,000; Sundries, Rs. 85,82,000. Total Rs. 15,47,03,000.

ASSETS.

Cash Credits and Overdrafts on Government and other authorised securities, Rs. 3,05,00,000; Loans on Government and other authorised securities, Rs. 4,38,71,000; Bills Discounted, Rs. 1,66,49,000; Bank Premises, Rs. 35,29,000; Sundries, Rs. 65,52,000; Cash in hand, at Banks, and Investments in Treasury Bills, War Bonds, Government Papers, Municipal Bonds, Debentures, etc., Rs. 5,36,02,000. Total Rs. 15,47,03,000.

AMBAVNI CREEK FERRY SERVICE.

It will be remembered that recently there appeared some correspondence in our paper, in which it was pointed out what inconveniences and hardships the people of certain villages in Salsette had to suffer owing to the sudden stoppage of the ferry service over the Ambavni Creek by the old contractor.

We are now glad to learn that Mr. G. E. L. Carter, I.C.S, Collector, Bombay Suburban District, gave prompt and very sympathetic attention to the complaints and has adopted satisfactory remedial measures

A new ferry contractor has been appointed. The rate fixed by Government is 3 pies per single trip over the Ambavni Creek between Gorai and Borivli. This fare has now been temporarily raised to 9 pies,

CASE AGAINST AN EDITOR.

(From a Correspondent.)

The defamation case against Pandit Satyadeo Vidyalanker, Editor, and Ratmnarayan Chaudhari printer and publisher of the Rajasthankersari has been postponed for the August 9th. as the summon could not yet been served upon the publisher he being absent from here. According to the summons served upon Pandit Satyadeo the Government is the plaintiff and the charge is against an article published in the Rajasthankesari in its issue of March 20th regarding the accident occurred at Bela in Nagpur district in which bad conduct of the police was exposed. The police sub-inspector of the place has filed the case as according to his statement he and his department has been defamed by the report.

A correspondent from Umbargaon writes that on the 12th instant, the date fixed for the sale of *booth* licenses, out of about 350 license-holders, 250 refused to renew their licenses and the rest of the license-holders about 100 in number who renewed their licenses were all Pars's.

THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

Stations.	24 hrs. to 8 a.m. of 19-7-21.	Total since 1st June 1921.	June 1st to 21st 1919.	1920.
	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.
Colaba (Observatory)	2 09	48 43	37 83	21 81
Fort (St. Gs. Hpl.)	2 25	48 07	38 95	29 98
Esplanade (Gok. Tej Hospital)	2 08	43 28	38 00	29 68
Byculla (J. J. Hpl.)	2 24	43 70	42 26	31 35
Kemp & Co. (C. Hill)	—	—	—	—

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA

Bombay, 21st July, 1921.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m. 10 a.m. 2 p.m. 4 p.m. and 10. p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	in.	29,678
Temperature of Air ..	deg.	80 0
Wet Bulb Thermometer		78 0
Dew Point		77 3
Relative humidity of Air		0 916
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy—10)		10 0
Maximum temperature of Air degrees		82 1
Minimum do do ..		75 8
General direction of Wind From Midnight to Midnight	W.W.SW.	
Movement of Wind do.	miles	238
Fall of Rain ..	inches	2.47
Total fall during month	„	22 27
do. year	„	49 06
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 22nd		0 52

SUN MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

HIGH WATER

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	Bombay Mean Time	Depth on Stil
		h. m.	ft. in.
Thursday.	28th July	m4 24	24 8
		4 10a	25 8

LOW WATER

Day of Week	Day of Month	Bombay Mean Time	Depth on Still
		h. m	ft. in.
Tuesday.	28th July	m10 0	20 4
		11 0a	18 3

Correspondence Summarised

PRIVILEGE LEAVE RULES.—"A Victim" thinks that now-a-days in the Government offices the rules for granting privilege leave to the subordinate officers are more honoured in the breach than the observance. He says that though the basic principle on which privilege leave rules were framed, is to maintain a high degree of efficiency in the office work by allowing the employees one month's leisure after eleven months of hard routine work, yet in the Government offices, it has become a fashion not to grant any privilege leave even after several years of continuous service. There are many instances in every Government office, where clerks forfeit their privilege leave because it does not accumulate to their credit after three or four years. He, therefore, draws the attention of the Government to these anomalies in the observance of the rules relating to privilege leave.

KHADAR.—"M." writes that certain mills have begun to manufacture Khadar in competition with the poor hand-workers, and he calls upon the head of those mills, who is a leading citizen, to patriotically desist from this enterprise.

PAY OF MUNICIPAL CLERKS.—"A Clerk" informs us that there is no report yet from the Committee which was appointed six months ago to consider the raising of the pay of Municipal clerks. At present the start is Rs. 40, plus Rs. 10 W. A., which is insufficient. He says that Rs. 60 would be just and asks Dr. Sukhia to see to it at an early date.

THE EAST INDIANS AND MRS. NAIDU.—"An East Indian" points out that Mrs. Naidu addressed them as "Goans" which is incorrect as they are British subjects and not Portuguese. The East Indian community feels that there has been a tendency for Hindus and Mahomedans to hold aloof from them, he says, but now all should join in the great brotherhood for "Swaraj."

CATHOLICS AND DRINK.—Mr. A. Mazarello writes that among the Catholics there are several Temperance Associations and their priests also denounce drink from the pulpit, but their wise counsels have fallen on deaf ears. He has admired the way in which the Hindu and Muhammedan pickets have done their duty and deplores the fact that there are no Christians among them.

Under the auspices of the Athni Congress Committee and Athni Branch of the Tilak Swaraj Sangli, Athni people celebrated Lok. Tilak anniversary by worshipping in all temples, taking phito of the Lokamanya in procession, distributing food to the Non-Brahmin poor numbering about 1,500 and adopting the Swadeshi vow in a public meeting

Weekly weather report says during the past week Bombay monsoon has been vigorous and was reinforced in Northern India by the Bay current which owing to an abnormal distribution of pressure was temporarily withdrawn from Burma. The rainfall was very heavy in the Peninsula and extended in abundance into Gujarat, Rajputana and the Punjab, but it was over 50 per cent in defect in Lower Burma, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Central India East, and Central Provinces West.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Engagements.

TO-DAY.

The s.s. Narkunda with the English mails, leaves at 1 p.m.
The s.s. Caledonia, with mails of the 7th instant, expected to arrive at 6 a.m.
Celebration of the Lokmanya's Jayanti, Empire Theatre, 3-15 p.m.
Cricket Matches: (1) Parsi Gymkhana vs. Wilson College Gymkhana (former's ground); (2) Hindu Gymkhana vs. St. Xavier's College Gymkhana; (3) Elphinstone vs. B. B. & C. I. Ry.
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SUNDAY, July 24.

Cricket Matches: (1) Parsi Gymkhana vs. Young Zoroastrian C. C. (former's ground); (2) Hindu Gymkhana vs. Baronet C. C.; (3) Elphinstone C. C. vs. Spencer Cup Competing.

Domestic Occurrences.

DEATH.

XYDIS.—At Liverpool, last week, from pleurisy George E. Xydis of Messrs. Ralli Brothers, Liverpool (By cable).

THE LAD YUVAK MANDAL.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will speak on "Swadeshi" at Lad Wady, near C. P. Tank Road, to-day, at 8-30 p.m. Mr. V. J. Patel will preside.

COMMERCE GRADTAUES' ASSOCIATION.

The Association Club will be open from 2-30 p.m. to-day. Mr. Lalji Naranji will meet the members at 5 p.m. in Sydenham College Hall.

CITY'S MORTALITY.

The total mortality of the city on the 20th instant was 134 as compared with the corresponding day of last year. There was 1 attack from plague.

A CHARITY PERFORMANCE.

Under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Ezekiel, a charity play "Maccabeens" in Marathi will be staged to-morrow (Sunday) at 9 p.m. (B. T.), at the Coronation Theatre, Grant Road.

MUSLIM STUDENTS UNION.

The sixth annual general meeting of the members of this Union, which was adjourned, will be held on Monday, the 25th instant, at 5 p.m. in the Hall of the Union at Chowpatty.

LOKMANYA'S WORK.

A Meeting has been convened under the Presidentship of Mr. Joseph Baptista, for Saturday, the 23rd July 1921 at 9 p.m. on the open Maidan, near Salvation Army, Madanpura, Bombay.
Subject "Lokmanya Tilak's National Work.

HARI KIRTAN.

Under the auspices of the above Association, Mr. H. B. P. Madhavrao Badodekar will perform a public Hari Kirtan to-day (Saturday), at 9-30 p.m. (S. T.) on the occasion of the anniversary of Lok. Tilak in the premises of the Association.

BHARAT BHANDHU SAMAJ.

The seventieth aniversary of the above Samaj will be celebrated to-morrow (Sunday), at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.) in Hirabag Hall (near C. P. Tank) when Shrimant Sheth Kondaji Pandurang Khandke will preside. It is open to the public.

STUDENT'S LITERARY AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.

The annual general meeting of the above Society will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 4 p.m. (S. T.) in the Marathi Grantha Sangrahalaya Hall, Bhai Jivanji Lane, Thakurdwar, when members are requested to attend.

LECTURE AT GHATKOPER.

Under the auspices of the Ghatkoper Congress Committee a public lecture on "Swadeshi" will be delivered by Mr. Gokuldas Dwarkadas Rajchura and Mr. Shivji Devshi Shah to-morrow (Sunday), at 8-30 a.m. (S. T.), in the Ramji Asar School Hall, Ghatkoper.

ADVANTAGES OF COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES

A lecture on "Advantages of Co-operative Credit Societies" will be delivered by Mr. F. A. C. Rebello on Sunday, the 24th instant on the premises of the Holy Cross Church, Parel, at 9-15 a.m. Dr. Desiderio Fidho, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., etc., will preside. The lecture is open to all the Catholics.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Mails for Seychelles, Lamu, Mombasa, Ibo, Chindi, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, Tanga, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marques per s.s. Karoa, will be closed at the General Post Office at 9-0 a.m. on Wednesday, the 27th instant. (Correspondence for Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer).

PARSI RAJKEYA SABHA.

Under the auspices of the Parsi Rajkeya Sabha, a public meeting will be held at the Empire Theatre to-day, at 3 p.m., when Mrs. Naidu, Messrs. Patel, Pickthall, Mohamad Alli, Jaykar and others will speak, and Mahatama Gandhiji will preside. Songs—Gujarathi, Marathi and Urdu—specially composed for the occasion will be sung. Tickets will be available at the Theatre from 12 noon, and doors will open at 2 p.m.

KALACHOWKI TALUKA CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

A meeting of all the members of the F Ward District Congress Committee residing in the Kalachowki locality will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 4 p.m. in the office of the Lalbag Congress Committee near the Deccan Volunteer Corps' shop, Chinchpokly, for the formation of the Kalachowki Taluka Congress Committee.

THE ISRAELITE BROTHERHOOD.

The Sabath class for children will meet at 4-30 p.m. to-day (Saturday). There will be no Jewish history class the same evening. The Marathi class will meet at 3 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday), and at 4 p.m. there will be a conversational meeting, the subject for discussion being "Drink and its evil effects." Shorthand classes will meet at 7-30 p.m. on Monday and Thursday.

BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS

THE EMPRESS.

The mystery deepens in the new instalment of "The Phantom Foe" which is being shown this week at the Empress. We see a few more murders, and the face of the mysterious person who is causing all the trouble is momentarily disclosed to the audience, but who he is, what he is, there is nothing to show. Last week the hero and heroine were left in a somewhat precarious position. From this they manage to escape. Next we find Uncle Leo accused of being implicated in the crimes, and there is a family split because of the advocacy of his innocence and his guilt. Then the heroine is brought once more under the power of the Foe by hypnotic influences, and the next scene is in a hospital where the "doctor is the enemy and he is about to operate when once more the rates intervene. Evidence is gathered at this stage which seems to prove beyond a shadow of a doubt that Uncle Leo is guilty, and he is thrown into prison. The family then feel safe again, but the terror returns when a butler is murdered. And then the Phantom Foe appears again, menacing the hero and the heroine.

THE EMPIRE.

Miss Dorothy Dalton, known in Filmland as the Girl with the Dimples, appears at the Empire tonight in a firm story which tells the struggles of a young girl to retain her husband's confidences. In her youth she has indiscretions (who has not?) But she takes them a little too seriously, and when a few old letters are used to attempt to blackmail her then her attempts to regain them lead her into all sorts of difficulties, even to being accused of murdering her old flame, and with her husband as the prosecuting counsel. It is claimed for this film that it retains the interest of the onlooker throughout with developments which are wholly unexpected, and that the story is almost startling in its vivid reality and clearness. In this film Miss Dalton appears in some very charming gowns that will be of interest to the ladies, and perhaps most captivating of all is the riding habit which she wears when she is riding her favourite pony, Lord Chesterfield. She is a popular actress in what should be a popular film.

WEST END CINEMA.

Messrs. K. D. and Brothers have adhered to their unflinching resolve to give nothing but the very best of European and American Society Photoplays to their West-End patrons, and this week they are presenting a select masterpiece of the World Picture Series. "Diamonds and Pearls" is an exhilarating story of a beautiful young damsel with aristocratic lofty notions, seeking to give a hand in matrimony only to him who would be able to fetch for her Diamonds and Pearls. It was a risky experiment at that—but curiously enough, she is able to pitch forth upon a very decent young man, very wealthy, very loving—and all that! The extravagance of the lady however, leads to complications; but as Fate would have it, things turn out all right in the end, and the lucky lady gets love—and happiness in addition to her much-coveted Diamonds and Pearls. The celebrated Starskitty Gordon and Milton Sills make this Drama something worth the name of the West-End Cinema.

GLOBE CINEMA.

The past whole week at the Globe Cinema was an uninterrupted triumph. Dense crowds patronised the wonderful Indian Production by the Hindoostan Film Company, "Sant Tukaram" a 6-Reel Indian Production of Indian Mythology and Indian History. Messrs K. D. and Brothers have consequently arranged to repeat their colossal double programme this week,—when "Sant Tukaram" Film with fresh four Chapters of the current Serial "The Lurking Peril (Episodes 9 and 10) will be screened.

MUNICIPAL REFORM ASSOCIATION.

The Municipal Reform Association have brought out their fourth annual report. It is stated therein that the Association represented several grievances of the people to the Municipal authorities during the year and in some cases at least they were promptly redressed when brought to their notice. It carried on the propaganda of educating the public and creating interest in them on municipal questions by publishing from time to time in papers their views on important questions that came before the Corporation for discussion and their resolution guarding the interest of the people.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE.

The opening ceremony of "The Currimbhoy Ebrahim Kamagar Bhagini Samaj," started under the auspices of the above Institute for the benefit of the women-workers of the C. K. Mills will be inaugurated to-day, at 5-30 p.m., in the central hall of the Institute, when Mrs. Shantabai Kashalkar, Superintendent, Municipal Schools, Bombay, will preside.

TEMPERANCE MEETING OF PARSIS.

Under the auspices of the Rahnestar Mandal a public meeting of Parsis will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at the Sir Cawasji Jehangir Hall, at 6 p.m., when Mr. D. D. Gilder (Secretary of the Bombay Temperance Council) will deliver a Magic Lantern Lecture in Gujarati on the "Evils of Drink." The picture of Mr. "Pussyfoot" Johnson will be exhibited. Mr. K. J. B. Wadia will speak on "Vegetarianism and the Drink Question." Mr. Rusi Behsania and the girls of the Empress High School will sing songs in Gugarati and English specially composed for the occasion. Dr. Miss Jerbanoo Mistry will preside.

A MEETING AT JACOB CIRCLE.

A big public meeting will be held to-day, at 9 p.m. at Jacob Circle when Mahatma Gandhi, Mr. Kolhatkar, Ali Brothers, Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Mr. S. V. Lalit and others will speak on "Life Work of Tilak." Mr. Joseph Baptista has consented to preside.

YOUNG NATIONALISTS LEAGUE.

Under the auspices of the "Young Nationalists' League" a public lecture will be given to-day at 6-30 p.m. in the hall of the Gandharva Maha Vidyalaya, Sandhurst Road by R. S. Nimbkar, under the presidency of Mrs. Sarojini Naidu.

NOTICE TO VOLUNTEER CORPS.

The Secretaries, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee request the presence of all the volunteers of the Hindu and Muslim Volunteer Corps to be present at the Maidan at 7-30 a.m. on Sunday the 24th instant—when Mr. V. A. Desai will assign to the different corps different areas for collection of foreign cloth (house to house collection). The Secretaries of the District Congress Committees are also requested to attend.

PARSIS AT ST XAVIER'S.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—My attention has been directed to a leaderette in your issue of the 13th instant in which, apparently on the basis of what you refer to as a "strange but categorical report" the authorship of which is not divulged, you allege that the Parsi community have incurred the "high displeasure" of the authorities of this College and that students of that important body receive "cold treatment and insult" with the object of excluding "non-christian communities." You will, I feel sure, be only too glad to learn and will let those your earlier words reached know, that each and all of these several charges are absolutely false, as might indeed have been anticipated, based as they are on a document the author or authors of which do not appear over anxious to come forward openly to earn the reward that disinterested public effort should secure. This College during the 50 odd years of its existence has educated many members of the leading Parsi families—the Houses of Tata, Petit, Jeejeebhoy, to mention only a few,—and acknowledges and has always recognised its indebtedness in more ways than one to Parsi goodwill and generosity and we believe that goodwill and generosity to have been a recognition of some little indebtedness to us. You make reference to "foreign propagandist institutions" and apparently regard St. Xavier's as coming under that heading. The meaning you wish to attach to these words is not clear, but you will no doubt be glad to know that this College was not established as a "propagandist institution" in any sense in which the words could be used, nor has it ever been employed for propagandist purposes. It may be mentioned also that over 85 per cent of the staff and over 90 per cent of the students are Indian. The college is under the control of a Society which is spread throughout the entire civilised world and numbers men of almost every nationality including many indians in its ranks. The Society of Jesus belongs to no nationality except in the sense that it recognises all; it can no more be called a foreign body than the Catholic Church can be called a foreign Church. We are glad to note you have received no complaints from other communities. This is as it should be, as no distinction is made in dealing with students except in one particular and this is one of which you will probably not disapprove, viz., Religious instruction is imparted only to Catholic students.

I have written you at length as I feel you only wish to learn the truth in these matters. I shall be glad to deal with any further points on which you may desire information and shall consider taking further action if you will forward me a copy of the document on which the charges were based and the names of its authors.—Yours, etc.,

E. BLATTER.
Principal, St. Xavier's College.

Bombay, July 21.

MATHERAN DISPESARY.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—From the correspondence appearing this day in your esteemed paper I am glad to see the "disinterested" interest of Mr. Rustomjee P. Jehangir in the matter, and allow me to assure him that I waited at the dispensary for nearly forty minutes to make acquaintance of the "most kind and sympathetic" Col. Christian; and as I had to leave without meeting him, the regret was mine, and this I know to my cost as I am still ill. To adopt Christian phraseology if I did not see the "father" I saw the "son" and is it not written "who has seen the Son has seen the Father"? I had the pleasure of seeing Mr. Dandwate and testifying to his personality, and I have said nothing about him as a person to which Mr. Jehangir or even Mr. Dandwate can take the least objection. In fact after the incident Mr. Dandwate and myself met and were together for more than half an hour on the day I left Matheran. Whatever, therefore, the charms of his personality, and the cordial and warm reception I had at his hands, the fact remains that the poor of the place—and even the rich—have serious cause of complaint—to use the words of Mr. Jehangir—re. the "painstaking" interest of Mr. Dandwate and the trafficking of his position, due no doubt to the bureaucratic rules and regulations which have the effect of making his master and himself the lords of the situation.

I have enough materials to make the statements I have made and which I repeat and though in poor health I am willing to accompany Mr. Jehangir to Matheran and get him facts from the months of the people there. Does Mr. Jehangir know that a petition has been made to the authorities re. treatment the poor get at the dispensary; and I am told, and have reasons to believe the same to be correct, that Mr. Dandwate in this dual capacity gave "dam" to some of the petitioners and indulged in threats which I am waiting to see fructify before taking further action. If Mr. Jehangir is interested in seeing a copy of the petition, I am sending a copy of it to the Editor of "The Chronicle" and he can have inspection of the same. Nearer home if Mr. Jehangir wants to know how rich have suffered I can give him facts and names for his private and confidential information. These materials I am reserving for future use for further action in due time and in proper place should occasion arise.

I hope Mr. Jehangir will keep up his interest in the matter and see that the dispensary is so managed that it serves its object and purpose, and this depends more on the treatment meted out than on the geniality and charms of persons in charge. Mr. Jehangir may be sure that the lot of the medical men cannot be more or less miserable than they make it for themselves and human beings, however depraved, have been known to appreciate good acts done to them in their hour of need and distress, and I have no reasons to believe that the poor of Matheran are either an exception or gifted with the double dose of original sin.—Yours, etc.,

LAKHMIDAS ROWJEE TAIRSEE.

July 22

The "Madras Mail" understands that Mr. D. Morrison has resigned his seat in the Madras Corporation, one of his reasons for this being that he disapproved of a meeting of the Corporation being held to discuss private disputes between the management and the mill hands of the Buckingham and Carnatic mills.

STALL-KEEPERS ON B & C. I. RAILWAY

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I shall be obliged if you would kindly ventilate the grievances of the Stall-keepers on the B. B. Line. For over a generation, the system prevailing is for the Railway to charge vendors and stall-keepers Rs. 1 and 5 respectively, and Rs. 10 for the stall-keeper at Surat or some important stations. The great majority squat on the ground on Railway premises and pay Re. 1 per mensem. This system is now to be changed. Instead of issuing licenses as at present, each station is to be auctioned and the highest bidder will have the sole right of issuing licences to vendors and stall-keepers. This will introduce a middle man unnecessarily. This middle man will be a capitalist, whose chief object would be to make money. The supervision of the station-masters over vendors will not be direct or effective as at present. Such monopoly would bring some money to the Railway, but it will be at the expense of the passengers. The increased revenue for the Railway would really be negligible compared with the enormous sums derived from passenger and goods traffic but it will be a heavy toll on licensees and passengers. The contractor's profit is likely to double the amount he pays the Railway. The vendors and consumers will suffer the most. In 1909 an effort was made to induce the Railway to introduce such a system by some enterprising capitalist; but the generous-hearted General Traffic Manager rejected the application. It is unnecessary to observe that this new system will deprive from 500 to 1,000 men of their daily bread. They have been selling things to passengers on the present system for over a generation. They have no other means of livelihood. No complaints have been made against them either concerning their conduct towards passengers or the quality of the articles supplied by them. Under the circumstances there is no reason for introducing the new system except the temptation of increased income at the expense of the passengers. We shall all be much obliged if the Passengers' Association and the Railway Board would take up the question and urge upon the Agent not to depart from the present system.—Yours, etc.,

AGGRIEVED.

BACK BAY RECLAMATION.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—With reference to the letter written by Mr. R. Venkat Ram appearing in your issue of today, I think it proper to say at once that his belief is untrue and unfounded as at no time I had any concern with any Syndicate, if any, which according to him, was formed to obtain License from Government for reclamation.—Yours, etc.,

LALJI NARAINJI.

Apollo Street,
Bombay, July 22.

THE DRINK TRAFFIC.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—With reference to Mahatma Gandhiji's campaign against the liquor trade I would like, with your permission, to make my position perfectly clear so that no room for doubt may exist as regards my attitude in the matter. For various reasons I have never dabbled in politics; neither have I any intention of doing so. But I am of the decided opinion that the liquor business is both bad and dishonest; and it will be in the best interests of both Government and the public if it were done away with. I have always exhorted members of my community to keep their hands clean out of this doubtful trade. I am also in favour of picketing; but in a proper manner and within the bounds of the law. The best mode of checking the evil would seem to be as I suggested at the meeting by opening free cold-drink shops next to liquor shops. Further, from my experience of 32 years' of Government service I have honestly and irresistably come to the conclusion that the majority of high-minded English Civilians are certainly in favour of the abolition of this trade provided it could be done by absolute stoppage of illicit distillation.

I used to be repeatedly asked by the liquor shop-keepers what I would advise in regard to the toddy trade. My honest opinion is and has been that toddy is almost a staple food with people wherever date-trees grow in abundance; and accordingly I certainly do not dream of opposing a trade in which neither the morality nor the purse of the ryots is touched to any undesirable extent.

With respect to the sale of foreign liquors, if it were stopped in obedience to the wishes of the two great people—the Hindoos and the Mahomedans—by the Parsees I would be delighted; but here the shop-keepers' difficulties would be greater than in the case of the country liquor shop-keepers, because of the heavy losses the former would be put to through the shutting up of the businesses forthwith. I have always advised shop-keepers to try and get over the difficulty by working in cooperation with the rich Sethias of Bombay as well as with Government officials.—Yours, etc.

RUSTOM P. JEHANGIR.

A BOXING OFFER.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Mr. Padam A. Anklesaria, a Member of the Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League who is a professional boxer, would like to meet Mr. Milton Kubes at 10 st. 7 lbs. or 10 st. 12 lbs. in a 6 or 10 rounds Boxing Contest for a Cup. An early reply from Mr. Milton Kubes through the medium of your journal will greatly oblige.—Yours, etc.,

(Dr.) M. E. PAVRI,
R. K. DADACHANJI,
M. S. BANAJI,
(For) Hon. Secretary to the Z. P. C. & Health League.

UNION BANK OF INDIA, LTD

OPENED BY MAHATMA GANDHI.

The opening ceremony of the new premises of the Union Bank of India Ltd., was performed by Mahatma Gandhi on Thursday evening at 4 p.m. in the presence of a great number of merchants and spectators. Mahatma Gandhi was accompanied by Mrs. Sarojini Naidu.

In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. Hormusji Cowasji Dinshaw Adenwala, Seth Ratansi Dharamsi Morarji in welcoming Mahatma Gandhi, said the Bank had to carry on its business far away from the business locality and also it had to face to some extent the tightness of the Money Market. Now that the Bank has removed into its own building which is in the heart of the business locality. He, then, requested Mahatma Gandhi to declare the premises open and to give his blessings for the prosperity of the Bank.

Mahatma Gandhi said "I am not connected with Banking business and Banking institutions and I know very little of the management thereof; I am induced to come here by friends and I am attracted here by their love. I sometimes come here to beg for money for the sake of our Motherland. I have also to approach you for persuading you to abandon foreign cloth and to encourage Swadeshi in which lies the key to Swaraj. We should have the ability to carry on a big bank, to manage efficiently crores of rupees, in the course of our national activities. Though we have not many Banks amongst us it does not follow that we are not capable of efficiently managing crores and tens of crores of rupees. Banking business is carried on in our country for the last many hundreds of years. Our Marwadis are born Bankers and they would have managed not only crores but hundreds of crores of rupees had they been born in any other land but India. But, since they are born in this poverty-stricken land their capacity is but poorly valued. A writer has said that most of the recent wars are due to economic causes. At the same time it can be said that the rich people are the means of doing immense good to the suffering humanity. I hope also that the Bank will be carried on high moral principles and I wish it every prosperity. Now I declare the new premises open." (Cheers.).

Mahatma Gandhi was garlanded by a wreath of yarn, by Seth Ratansi Dharamsi Morarji, after Seth H. P. Thackersey thanking the Mahatmaji and requesting his blessings for the Bank. The meeting then dispersed.

THE PLANET MILLS, LTD.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Planet Mills Ltd. was held yesterday afternoon at 43a, Apollo Street. Mr. Jamsetji Ardaseer Wadia, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, presiding. The Chairman in moving the adoption of the Report remarked:—

I have not much to add to what has been given to you in the Report except to draw your attention to only one thing that the number of spindles and looms working. We have made this year profit a little over 10 lakhs out of 12,625 spindles and 652 looms. At presenq we have about 21,000 spindles and 922 looms working. We expect to receive at the end of the year about 10,000 spindles more. When our Mill is fully equipped we will have 32,000 spindles and 922 looms and this time next year, we hope, the result will be far more satisfactory.

The industry is in a healthy condition and yarn and cloth are in good steady demand which is likely to continue.

Boycott of foreign cloth will do us no good. It will not increase our production. What we want is no boycott of foreign goods, but prompt delivery of foreign machinery.

Our imported cloth goods cost about 56 crores per annum and imported yarn comes to about 4 crores. In 1919 we produced cloth worth about 56 crores. We exported about 7 crores worth yarn and we sold to the hand-loom weavers yarn worth about 22 crores of rupees. We are producing cloth and yarn to-day 50 per cent. more than imported cloth and yarn. The state of industry is extremely satisfactory.

The Audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account for the year ending 31st March 1921 show a net profit of Rs. 10,16,244-9-5, including the balance of Rs. 8,009-6-8 brought forward from the last account. The Directors have utilised the sum of Rs. 1,50,000-0-0 in paying *ad-interim* dividend for the half year ending 30th September, 1920, at the rate of Rs. 10 per share.

After the Auditors for the current year had been appointed, the meeting came to a close.

A SUGGESTION.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Throughout the whole of Bombay, there are many retailers doing cloth business. In each shop is seen not less than two, three, or four salesmen. In the working day of say, eight to ten hours, many of these salesmen are often to be found sitting idle in the shop and chatting, for lack of customers. If their masters were to make it a point to have two, three or four charkas according to the size of their concerns, and direct their salesmen to work at them during their leisure hours, thousands and thousands could be utilised in Bombay alone. Not only that, it will be a great pride to have the charkas demonstrated in the shops,—both to the shop-keepers and their customers. It will also serve as a sort of advertisement and many of their ignorant customers can be made to understand the utility and purpose of each house having as many charkas as possible and they can also be induced to push on this movement vigorously. Will every true national clothdealer take this hint and try his best to help the Nation's Cause just as he has donated to the Swaraj Fund.—Yours, etc.

MAHADEV.

Parel, Javeri Building.

GOKHALE EDUCATION SOCIETY.

SIR H. WADIA'S DONATION.

The Society has received a cheque for Rs. 6,250 from Sir H. A. Wadia, as his contribution towards the New English School Building Fund. The Society appeals to the philanthropic people of Bombay to follow his example by responding to its call for help towards the New E. School Building Fund.

SPORTING NEWS.

CRICKET.

YORKSHIRE V. AUSTRALIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 12 noon, July 22.

The match between Yorkshire and the Australians commenced to-day at Sheffield in sunny weather. The wicket was in a very fast condition when the Australians opened their first innings. Bardsley played rather a patchy innings of 71 which, however, included 6 fours and Gregory made a very valuable contribution of 68 including 10 fours giving no chances throughout his innings. The Australians were dismissed for 251 runs.

Yorkshire's fielding was good and their bowling excellent. Waddington took 4 wickets for 83 runs and Wilson 3 for 24.

When stumps were drawn Yorkshire had made 29 for 1 wicket.

INTERNATIONAL TENNIS.

JAPAN MEETS INDIA IN SEMI-FINAL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. July 22.

New York.—Owing to Belgium scratching to Japan, Japan will meet India in the semi-final at Chicago.

BISLEY SHOOTING.

MAJOR CROWE GETS SECOND PRIZE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. July 22.

Major Crowe (Canada) has won the Silver Medal in the second stage of the King's Prize at Bisley with 95 points.

WON BY SGT. CUNNINGHAM.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 4-45 p.m., July 22.

Sergeant Cunningham of Newcastle is the winner of the King's Prize at Bisley with the score of 226.

CALCUTTA MONSOON RACES.

FIRST DAY.

HORSES LEFT

CALCUTTA, July 22.

The following are horses left in for the first day of the Calcutta Monsoon Races which commence to-morrow:—

THE [illegible] HANDICAP.—Distance about 1½ miles over 7 hurdles.

Ancient and Modern 11-3, Girton Miss 10-8, Tarnapol 10-5, Quarterly 10-3, Ortogo 10-3, Marole Rock 10-3, Brown Fowl 10-3, [illegible] 10-3, Distinguished 10-3.

THE MAIDEN PLATE.—Distance about 6 furlongs.

Sensford 9-3, Hilda A 9-3, Mirror of Fashion 9-3, Anna B 9-3, Renee 9-3, Demon 9-1, Bruslee 8-9, Pocket Book 8-9, Cloak 8-9.

THE HAVELOCK PLATE.—Distance about 6 furlongs.

Limton 9-5, Kilrea 8-12, Golden Square 8-12, Jack 8-7, Volage Pet 8-7, Harveit Home 8-7, Verres 8-7, Solo Bridge 8-7.

THE BIBURY PLATE.—Distance about 5 furlongs.

King of Bees 9-3, Quetta 9-3 Mignonette 9-3, Silver Gift 9-3, Golden Memory 9-3, Tanyum 9-3, High Roe 9-3, Angary 9-3, Despicable 9-3, Little Life 9-3, Rerenga 9-3, Desdemona 9-3, Smiling Morn 9-3 Highland Lassie 9-3, Rhianon 8-9, Gibsons Corner 8-9.

THE BENGAL PLATE. (Division I.).—Distance about 6 furlongs.

Wray Scout 9-8, Pick of the Bunch 9-3, Golden Stream 8-10, Verland Rose 8-10, Damoiselle 8-10, Tete Montee 8-10, Eagles Nest 8-10, Golden Treasure 8-5, Barsen 8-5, One Too Many 8-5, My Metto 7-11.

THE BENGAL PLATE. (Division II.).—Distance 6 furlongs.

St. Vagrant 9-8, Royal Sign 8-10, Che[illegible] 8-10, No Ball 8-10, Stamford 8-9, Wedding Ring 8-10, Idyl 8-10, Ortogo 8-5, Galla 8-5, Goras Darling 8-5, Little Tag 8-5, Saloon 7-11.

FOOTBALL IN BOMBAY.

Despite the adverse weather conditions Bombay Gymkhana last night played quite good football on the Oval, eventually beating the Y. M. C. A. by five goals to one. From the kick-off the Gymkhana assumed the offensive and bombarded the Y. M. C. A. goal, but great work by the Young Men's custodian Rees kept the Gymkhana men at bay. The latter however were not to be denied and Ireland scored after some good combination by the Gymkhana forwards. This goal was quickly followed by another from Thow who put the finishing touch to some excellent work by Etherington. The Y. M. C. A. retaliated strongly and a clever movement by their forwards resulted in a goal. Half-time came with the score two goals to one in favour of the Gymkhana. On resuming the Gymkhana took control of the game and Etherington scored three times. Occasionally the Y. M. C. A. looked dangerous but the speed of the Gymkhana backs and in particular Fox and Bourne nullified their efforts.

The Gymkhana lacked the services of several of their best players, notably Terry and Morren. Ireland and Birtwistle took the places of Stedman and Morren and both played quite well. Thow at centreforward was excellent and Etherington was very dangerous as inside left.

FOOTBALL IN CALCUTTA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 21.

In the Football Challenge Shield Competition, the game between East Bengal and Dalhousie provided keen contest ending in a draw of one goal each side. Extra ti[illegible] was gone through but no further scor[illegible] sulted. Towards concluding stage of [illegible] East Bengal were attacking strongly [illegible] Worcesters versus Saidpur prove[illegible] farce. Saidpur failed to offer any o[illegible] tion and lost the match by nine go[illegible] nil.

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TEST OF THE EMPIRE.

We quite agree with our local morning contemporary when it remarks that, so far as India is concerned, Kenya is the test of the British Empire. For ourselves we make bold to say that the outcome of the struggle that is being carried on by our countrymen in that Colony will not merely demonstrate the genuineness or otherwise of the talk of India's equal partnership in the Empire, as our contemporary opines, but will also determine in a very large measure whether self-respecting India will be content to remain a member of the Empire, which at present holds out no hopes to her children but those of remaining as virtual helots and outcasts therein. As we have always maintained, the choice whether India shall or shall not remain within the Empire rests primarily with Englishmen and their compatriots in the various Colonies and Dominions. Indians will be willing to remain in the Empire on terms of honourable partnership, but as perpetual slaves to the White races—never. The Kenya Whites wish to deny the Indians franchise in perpetuity. They will not tolerate the election of even one or two representatives to the Council, though their vastly smaller community enjoys the privilege of sending nearly a score of representatives. They are opposed even to the limited franchise, because they say once the principle is conceded, Indians will succeed in course of time in gaining all they clamour for. The Kenya Whites are not mistaken in this conclusion. But why do they object to Indians getting the franchise?

A perusal of the proceedings of the Convention of European Associations in Kenya makes it clear that these anti-Indian Whites have no clear idea as to what they fear most from Indians. They, no doubt, talk of being "swamped" by Indians, of their "homes" in the Uplands being "in danger", of the Indian traders "ousting" them from the field, of the health of their towns and residential areas being "contaminated" by Indian insanitariness, and, lastly, of the danger of the "natives" being debased by Indians, both economically and morally. But, when driven into a corner, as was done at the recent Round Table Conference, they are unable to prove their charges. Why! at the Convention held last month, one of the speakers actually boasted, from his experience of twenty-six years in the Colony, that "European Commerce had flourished despite Indian competition" and quoting the census figures, he proceeded to show that "it was the European who was ousting the Indian and not the other way around." This speaker also gave the Indians credit for being "the pioneers of trade in the reserves." These remarks, though made to show off White enterprise as compared with the Indian, go completely to refute the allegation, which we so often hear made, that Indians are ousting the Whites from the trade. As to the fears expressed regarding Indian insanitariness and Indian immorality, it is pertinent to note that at the Round Table Conference these allegations were not repeated with the same force as they are being done now and that at that Conference the censensus of opinion was that the remarks made in the Economic Commission's report were of too sweeping a character to be true.

As for the new solicitude shown for the "natives", it is also pertinent to note that it was not very noticeable at the opening session of last month's Convention, but became evident on the last day, when it was pointed out to the fire-eaters of the Convention that they could not hope to succeed in their anti-Indian campaign unless they brought some definite charges against Indians and that the charge that Indians spoiled the "natives" in various ways would best achieve the object in view. This conclusively shows that this new calumny against Indians is only an after-thought. That the whole move is dishonest is further shown by the following incident which took place in the course of the discussion on the point. One of the members drew attention to the paragraph in the resolution with regard to obtaining the opinions of the various missionary societies and suggested that the letter of the Bishop of Zanzibar to the Press some while ago, protesting against the handing over of Tanganyika to India, might be included in the present resolution. Another member, however, protested and said "the Bishop's facts in regard to Indians in Tanganyika might be just as inaccurate as his 'facts' regarding the relations between the Europeans and natives of Kenya." The proposal, therefore, to utilize the Bishop of Zonzibar's letter was dropped, lest it damage the character of Europeans by exposing *their* relations with the natives! Such are the dishonest methods with which the Whites are fighting Indians in Kenya. But the whole ground under the charge against Indians has been cut away by the "natives" themselves, who, as we have seen, the other day passed a resolution denying that they objected to Indians being enfranchised and declaring that the latter were their best friends. It is thus clear as day-light that the White agitation has no legs whatever to stand upon. Their threats to resort to violence to prevent Indians securing their just rights constitute a direct challenge to His Majesty's Government to put their high professions of "racial equality," and "equal partnership" within the Empire, to practice. Mr. Churchill recently laid down the Empire ideal. He is at the head of the Colonial Office and is really responsible for the administration of Kenya. If he cannot protect the Indians from the insults, aggression and violence of his White compatriots, it will mean that he is incapable of keeping the Empire from falling to pieces. Kenya furnishes for Indians the test of the "sympathy" and solicitude to do justice, of which Englishmen from the King downwards, have been speaking to them whenever the occasion has risen to appeal to their loyalty to the Empire. It is for British statesmen to prove that they do not indulge in mere talk.

VAGUE GENERALISATIONS

No one could have read the homily delivered by the Viceroy in reply to the address of the Marwadi Association without being struck by the similarity of the vague generalisations therein contained with those in his reply to the address of welcome by the Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau in Bombay. The intervening space of so many months has not, we are afraid, brought home to the Viceroy, the intensity of mistrust and suspicion with which Indian businessmen have come to look upon the operations of the Government in so far as they affect trade, industry and finances of the country. Lord Reading laid great stress on the outcome of the Industries Commission's Report, but it is legitimate to ask whether, as the result of that Report and several subsequent committees of enquiry, the position in India in the matter of industries is one whit better so far as enterprise promoted by Indians is concerned. The position of the Ministers under whom the Industries Department is placed in the Provincial Governments is itself vague and undefined and the actual power enjoyed by these nominees of the Government in the present circumstances is extremely limited and will not lead the country very far. We are afraid Lord Reading gave vent to a piece of unconscious humour when he asked the Marwadi Association to trust for good results because, forsooth, Sir Thomas Holland, who was the head of the Industries Commission, is in charge of the Industries portfolio with the Government of India. We showed on Wednesday how little India can expect from Sir Thomas Holland. Lord Reading referred to vested interests along the ports which prevent the adjustment of railway rates so as to give legitimate protection to industrial concerns situated inland. This is one of the oldest complaints of Indian industries and it is so obvious and legitimate that if official experiences in foreign countries were any guide or criterion, or if the prosperity of Indian industries were really at the heart of the Government as much as the Viceroy would have us believe it is, it should have been remedied long ago.

We cannot compliment Lord Reading on his reference to the Fiscal Commission. It appears the Government have not understood the issue as it strikes the public of India. The people of India do not want any costly committee of enquiry in which one or two Indians may figure, whose report will practically be a foregone conclusion, inspired by officials. If fiscal independence (the phrase which Lord Reading used) has any special meaning at all, then the fiscal system which should be fixed should be one which may be devised by thoughtful Indian businessmen who could be trusted not to suggest anything revolutionary but to take definite practical action so as to turn the tariffs of the country to the advantage of industrial enterprise as controlled and promoted by Indians. On the personnel of the Fiscal Commission, Lord Reading has discreetly cast a veil notwithstanding the feeling which the public on this side have evinced. A Commission of which an Indian is not the Chairman and on which there is not on Indian majority will be unacceptable to Indian commercial bodies and would not command any confidence. The reference of the Viceroy to trade and exchange was delightfully vague. To say that every country must export its surplus and get in return goods which it needs is a truism, but to imply that India cannot be self-sufficient in the matter of her industrial needs is to contradict an article of faith which is entertained by every Indian, who knows that the raw materials of his country could be turned into finished goods here and not only for cloth but practically for every other article of daily need. India could, under a national Government, become absolutely self-sufficient. We wonder why the Government of Lord Reading are not willing to take the commercial public into their confidence in the matter of exchange. We have not had yet a definite public recantation of the errors of last year. We have still the anomaly of an official rate for the sovereign at Rs. 10. We have the monstrosity of official estimates and accounts in which rupees are converted into pounds and vice versa at Rs. 10. We have the incredible expedient of the Post Office counting one pound equal to Rs. 10 and charging a fabulous percentage by way of commission. The Finance Member, in presenting the official budget, hazards a calculation at the rate of one shilling eight pence for the rupee and in every public account which has to deal with purchases or otherwise in the United Kingdom we have fictitious figures for so-called exchange losses. How long will this anomaly continue? These expedients are nothing short of a fraud on the public begun by the alteration of the legal ratio from Rs. 15 for one sovereign to Rs. 10. Lord Reading, instead of putting his shoulder to the wheel, merely trusted Providence like the ubiquitous farmer and hoped for a good monsoon and favourable balance of trade. How can the balance of trade be favourable when various departments, under Lord Reading's Government, have placed huge orders in the United Kingdom in order to keep the factories of the United Kingdom going in the time of depression at non-competitive high prices?

Notes of the Day

The Irish Deadlock.

The conversations between Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. De Valera have produced no result. That is the news of the day which Reuter gives us—and it is a disheartening but not unexpected piece of news. The statement issued by De Valera explains the rupture of negotiations. Ireland demands complete self-determination and the right to negotiate with England as an independent country, a demand which England, who went to war for the vindication of that principle, cannot refuse to satisfy if certain guarantees as regards the integrity of the British Isles from foreign aggression are forthcoming on the part of Ireland. The recalcitrant attitude of Ulster, which, as Mr. Fitzgerald says, "represents a very small minority of Irish people "who have been systematically, wilfully and fundamentally misled by the foreign power, England," only comes in the way of a harmonious adjustment of the relations between England and Ireland on the basis of mutual sacrifices.

Official "Friends" of Labour.

The part which Mr. T. E. Moir, Labour Commissioner, Madras, has been playing for some weeks past in connection with the strike of labourers of the Buckingham and Carnatic Mills, has been neither edifying nor conducive to the maintenance of peace in that city. His open sympathy with the agents of the mills and his efforts, with the aid of the police, to break the strike, by holding out all sorts of threats to the strikers and their leaders, have helped to create a feeling of deep distrust in the minds of the labouring classes in Madras in the official professions of sympathy with the struggle of labour to improve itself. Racial differences between the Adi-Dravida "black-legs" and the "caste-Hindu" strikers were exploited to the fullest extent, with the deplorable results that we have seen lately. The Adi-Dravidas were represented to the world as veritable martyrs, inoffensive and meekly submitting to the horrible persecutions of their enemies, the "caste-Hindus." We have heard in the official communiques that once the police were fired at by the "strikers," but the mystery of the police finding a missing revolver in the possession of the Adi-Dravidas has not yet been cleared up. The truth appears to be too dangerous to be exposed to light. However, it is somewhat incongruous to find Mr. Moir now turning round and rebuking his whilom pets—the Adi-Dravidas. We read in the "Madras Mail" a report of Mr. Moir's visit to the Adi-Dravida refugees' camp and of his warning them against committing any aggressive acts. We are told that he warned them not only that "they would be dealt with severely" but also that "the punishments meted out to the Adi-Dravida offenders would be more severe than in the case of the caste Hindus." But, why "more severe?"

A Magistrate's Lapse.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Divekar, Magistrate of Sirsi, and other officials like him, who are given to imagining that the "Non-Cooperator" is at the bottom of all trouble that one comes across to-day in India, will profit by the salutary lesson preached to them by the Hon. Justices Shah and Fawcett. Mr. Divekar, in his highly coloured judgment, extracts from which were published in this journal yesterday, sought to besmirch the whole Non-cooperation movement by uncalled-for and wholly irrelevant remarks and has made unjust reflections on the character and conduct of a municipal official, who was neither a party nor a witness in the case before him and who had been given no opportunity to meet the allegations made against him. That Mr. Divekar should not have been aware of the impropriety of making reckless reflections against individuals who are not parties to the case before him, shows what sense of responsibility and experience he has displayed in connection with the trial. We may have something more to say, on a later occasion, about the trial itself.

B. B. & C. I. Ry. Stall-Keepers.

Elsewhere we publish a communication regarding the grievances of stall-keepers on the B. B. and C. I. Railway, who are threatened with the loss of the means of their livelihood by the action of the Railway management. These stall-keepers have been paying fixed fees, for nearly a generation, for the permission accorded to them to vend their goods on the station premises. The company now proposes to farm the license for each station to the highest bidder. This will, no doubt, bring in some additional revenue to the Company, but will it not at the same time lead to an increase in the prices of the articles sold to the passengers and thus entail hardships on the latter? Moreover, it is the middleman who will profit most from the arrangement, while the poor vendors and stall-keepers will go to the wall. Does the Company really think that the additional revenue it will reap will compensate for the hardships the new system will entail on the passengers and the stall-keepers? We hope the company will reconsider its decision and auction the licenses at only such station or stations where there is absolute necessity for a change.

Anomalous

Referring to the fact that the name of the Hon. Mr. Sachchidananda Sinha appears on the title page of "The Hindustan Review" as its editor, "New India" asks: "Is it not anomalous that a member of the Executive Government of a Province should continue as editor of a political journal?" We quite agree. But this fact does not seem to us to be half as anomalous as the acceptance by the Hon. Sir Surendranath Banerjea, Minister, Bengal, of the presidentship of the Indian Association, Calcutta. The Association is a political body of long standing and may have, indeed, occasion in the future to send representations to Sir Surendranath himself in his capacity as Minister of Health and Sanitation. If such a representation is sent, would not Sir Surendranath, as Minister, be sitting in judgment over himself as the president of the Indian Association? In this connection, it appears to us to be also somewhat anomalous that Sir N. G. Chandavarkar, President of the Bombay Legislative Council, should have been chosen as president of the Primary Education Committee which has just been appointed by the local Government. The anomaly becomes all the more strange since Sir N. G. Chandavarkar had not long ago declined to preside over the Kanara Forest Committee, on the plea that as President of the Council his hands should be left unfettered. On account of his refusal the latter Committee has been deprived of his intimate knowledge of conditions in Kanara.

GERMAN MENACE IN UPPER SILESIA.

BRITISH NOTE TO M. BRIAND.

NOT NECESSARY TO SEND REINFORCEMENTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. July 22.

Paris.—The newspapers state that Lord Curzon in reply to M. Briand's Note urging the Allies to send reinforcements to Upper Silesia says that Britain does not consider it necessary to send reinforcements to the Plebiscite Territories of Upper Silesia.

Reuter learns, however, that Lord Curzon has sent Note to Paris suggesting that a meeting of the Supreme Council should be held at Boulogne on July 28th.

ALLIED COMMISSIONERS' NOTE TO AMBASSADORS.

ON NECESSITY FOR SENDING REINFORCEMENTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. July 22.

Paris.—A telegram from Oppeln says that the French, British and Italian Commissioners have sent a joint Note to the Conference of Ambassadors drawing attention to the necessity for sending reinforcements to Upper Silesia.

PARTITION BETWEEN POLES AND GERMANS.

ALLIED COMMISSIONERS ON ITS IMMEDIATE NEED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 11 a.m. July 22.

Telegrams received in London from Sir Harold Stuart state that the Allied Commissioners in Upper Silesia are of the opinion that further delay in settlement will bring about a very dangerous situation and suggest immediate partition between the Poles and the Germans and the occupation of the two areas by the Polish and the German regular troops.

REINFORCEMENTS FOR SILESIA.

FRENCH STILL CONSIDER IT NECESSARY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 12 noon, July 22.

Paris.—The British Charge d'Affaires handed M. Briand the British reply to the French note regarding Upper Silesia today and the substance is the same as the newspaper version given earlier.

The French Government is replying immediately but it appears that the French still consider it desirable to send reinforcements to Upper Silesia before any decision is taken in order that the carrying out of the decision may be assured beforehand.

THE LICENSING BILL.

REGULATION OF HOURS OF SALE.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 1 p.m., July 22.

The text has been issued of the Government's Licensing Bill which was introduced into the House of Commons yesterday evening. The Bill applies to the whole of Britain and provides that the earliest hour at which liquor can be obtained is 11 a.m. and the latest 10 p.m., with the exception of the Metropolis where the latest hour is 11 p.m. The hours of opening are limited to eight in the Provinces and nine in London. Drinks with meals can be ordered on week-days in London between 11 a.m. and 12 mid-night in the Hotels and Restaurants and between 11 a.m. and 11-30 p.m. in the licensed houses and Clubs. The Central Liquor Control Board is abolished and its property transferred to the Home Secretary and the Secretary for Scotland who are empowered to continue the Board's scheme for State management of the Liquor Traffic.

SAFE-GUARDING OF INDUSTRIES BILL.

WHEN DUMPING DUTY IS TO BE LEVIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 11 a.m. July 22.

On reaching the Committee Stage in the House of Commons, an important new clause was inserted in Safeguarding of Industries Bill on the motion by the Government providing that no order for imposition of duty in respect of dumping could be made unless the Board of Trade was satisfied that the Industry, which it was desired to protect, was being carried on with reasonable efficiency and economy.

Mr. Terrell declared that this wrecking amendment was engineered by the Free Trade supporters of the Government.

IRISH PEACE CONFERENCE.

NO RESULT.

MR. DE VALERA'S MANIFESTO.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

London, July 21, 3.25 p.m.
Recd. 9-30 a.m. July 22.

The conversations between Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. De Valera have produced no result.

Mr. De Valera has issued a statement declaring that Ireland demands the right to choose freely how she shall be governed, namely, Independence. She only requests freedom from British aggression and interference.

Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald in an official statement amplifies this as meaning that the claim of Irish Nation is for Mr. Wilson's fourteen points with the right of the small nations to self-determination. Mr. Fitzgerald says that the Ulster Cabinet represents a very small minority of Irish people, "who we claim, have been systematically, wilfully and fundamentally misled by the foreign power, England."

Commenting on this statement the "Morning Post" points out that the Southern Irish are refusing the Northern Irish the right which the former are claiming from England, namely, self-determination.

MR. DE VALERA RESUMES CONVERSATIONS WITH PREMIER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 10-30 p.m., July 22.

Mr. De Valera is resuming his conversations with Mr. Lloyd George to-day. At a Cabinet meeting which lasted for four hours yesterday the proposals were drawn up which Mr. Lloyd George is offering Mr. De Valera and after that the Premier visited His Majesty.

EMPIRE AIR COMMUNICATIONS.

STATEMENT BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE ISSUED.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 1 p.m., July 22.

A communique issued by the Air Ministry states that the first meeting was held yesterday of the special Committee on Air Communications, which has been established by the Imperial Conference. The Committee considered arrangements which were necessary for the postponement of the date of closing down the Airship service in order to permit of a final decision by various Governments on the scheme submitted to them for the acquisition of Airships. The estimates which were presented involved considerable expenditure. The committee decided upon a new limited cargo capacity for the Airships and that the estimates for the future services should be for limited and possibly irregular transport service of passengers and mails only to the Eastern Boundaries of the Empire, utilising the existing fleet as much as possible. Prior to the discussion on the Estimates the Committee considered the utilisation of heavier-than-air craft over certain sections of the Imperial Air Routes with particular reference to the Cairo-Karachi route.

EXTENDED AIR SERVICE

PROBABLE TIMINGS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 11 a.m. July 22.

At Question-time in the House of Commons, Mr. Guest stated that assuming the ground organisation was complete and regular service established it was estimated that the following times would be taken by airship from England:—

To Egypt, two and a quarter days.
To Karachi, five days.
To Johannesburg, seven days.
To Perth (Western Australia), seven and a half days.

GOVT. DEFEAT IN FINANCE BILL DEBATE.

HOW IT WAS BROUGHT ABOUT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 22.

The Government's Defeat during the discussion of the Finance Bill was quite unexpected and occurred at dinner hour in the absence of many Government supporters who had been attending a garden party at 10 Downing Street. The Opposition, on the other hand, was in full strength and several Unionists voted against the Government.

Replying to Sir Donald Maclean on the motion for adjournment Mr. Chamberlain said that in view of the public circumstances and many very grave issues which were being discussed at the present time and also of its small financial importance an alteration would be made. The Government would accept the decision of the House but he added that the defeat was not a process which could be repeated very often.

It is understood the Hon. Mr. Hammond becomes Chief Secretary, Bihar and Orissa Government with effect from October first. (A. P.)

At a meeting of Madras students it has been decided to form a Presidency Students' Union with the object of cultivating *esprit decorps* among students.

"TO SERVE MY GOD AND COUNTRY"

POLICE SUB-INSPECTOR RESIGNS.

AS PROTEST AGAINST SHERWANI'S CONVICTION.

(From our Correspondent.)

ALIGARH, July 21.

In connection with Mr. Sherwani's trial and conviction it is rumoured that several policemen have resigned their posts as protest. Mr. Syed Mohammed Raza, Sub-Inspector, C. I. D., who was known as a most loyal and staunch police officer, and on whose reports most local prosecutions were based sent a letter to Mr. Khwaja on the day following the trial in which he said "Maulana Sherwani's arrest and charge brought against him and his conviction on the evidence produced against him have convinced even a sinner like myself that no justice can be expected from the British court and the whole bureaucracy is working against the Islam and India. My conscience now compels me to give up Government service for serving my country and religion and I am enclosing for perusal a copy of resignation sent to the Superintendent of Police, as the Department can compel me to say on for two months. I might suffer hardships during the period but I feel much faith in God to care about it.

The resignation runs as follows: I beg to bring to your notice that the trial of Maulana Tasadduq Ahmed Sherwani and his conviction has now clearly convinced me that no justice can be expected from the present courts, and that the administration is quite against the holy principles of Islam and my conscience does not allow me to serve the British Government any more. Therefore, I hope you would very kindly accept my resignation from the post of Police Sub-Inspector and allow me to serve me God and country as soon as you can. Allaho Akbar."

MR. SHERWANI CONGRATULATED.

The local Congress Committee met yesterday and passed resolution putting on record the valuable public services of Mr. Sherwani and expression of universal belief in his innocence and congratulating him heartily upon his brave and cheerful acceptance of the sentence of rigorous imprisonment for one year for the sake of his country and religion, and thus putting before the nation an example of great and noble sacrifice.

Mr. Khwaja, has received a number of telegrams from numerous Khilafat and Congress committees, as well as from the personal friends and prominent leaders, including Mahatma Gandhi, Maulanas Abdulbari and Mohamed Ali and others friends, and leaders from the adjoining districts. Maulana Shaukat Ali, Dr. Ansari, Maulana Abdul Masjid of Budaun Shah Abdul Hasan and Mr. Mohamed Husain and many others came personally to join in congratulating Mr. Sherwani and sympathising with the members of his family.

MR. GANDHI'S MESSAGE.

Mahatma Gandhi on receipt of the news of arrest wired "Congratulate Sherwani and Aligarh on arrest. Hope people will remain calm and strong."

Mr. Ildiard has made his unpopularity more popular by the part played by him in this prosecution of an admittedly most popular leader.

USE OF WHITE LEAD IN PAINTING.

PROHIBITORY PROPOSAL & ITS EFFECTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 11 a.m. July 22.

Mr. Bowyer contended in the House of Commons that the proposal to prohibit the use of white lead in painting which would be submitted to the International Labour Conference at Geneva in October, would cause the closing down of the lead mines at Broken Hill and also in Burma and Rhodesia. Mr. Bowyer suggested that the British representatives at the Conference should be instructed to ensure that careful consideration was given to the possibility of dealing effectively with the dangers of paint poisoning by precautionary regulations rather than by prohibition.

Mr Churchill in reply pointed out that Australia and India as members of the International Labour Organisation were entitled to direct representation at the Conference. He understood that the instructions to be given to the British Representatives would be settled later.

FIRE IN AN ASPHALT PLANT.

DAMAGE ESTIMATED AT 4,000,000 DOLLARS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 12 noon, July 22.

Linden (New Jersey)—A damage estimated at 4,000,000 dollars has been caused through the fire at a large asphalt plant, the property of Messrs. Warner Quinlan and Company. The flames leaping from oil-tank to oil-tank caused terrific explosions and the adjoining marshes which are saturated with oil resemble sea of fire. The fire reaches as far as a neighbouring plant of the Standard Oil Company.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S VISIT TO U. S.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.

The "Daily Mail" states that Mr. Lloyd George has decided to go to the United States in the autumn.

THE "GANDHI" CAP AGAIN!

ANOTHER CASE OF DISMISSAL.

EUROPEAN MANAGER VICTIMISES CLERK.

The following has been communicated to us by Mr. P. K. Wartak, a clerk in the B. I. S. N. Company's Mazagon Dock Stores Department, who was dismissed on the 21st July by the Company's General Manager for going to office wearing a Gandhi cap Mr. Wartak briefly narrates the story thus:—

On Monday, the 18th instant, I went to the office with a "Gandhi cap." On this day none of my superiors gave heed to this, but on the next day I was instructed by the Storekeeper through my Head Clerk to get my cap changed and that otherwise I would be dismissed. I did not mind this. The next day, i.e., on Wednesday the 20th instant, I was again orally instructed by the Storekeeper (through Head Clerk) in the same words as on the previous day. The Head Clerk told me that it would be advisable if I changed my cap. On this day the Storekeeper reported my persistence to the Company's General Manager, Mr. Murdoch. As a result the General Manager called at the Storekeeper's office on Thursday, i.e., to-day the 21st, at 3 p.m. and seeing me in white "Gandhi cap", he asked me whether I would remove the cap or not? I answered him boldly that I would not remove the cap. After this he spoke something to the effect that such political men were not required in the office and at once instructed the Storekeeper to make payment of the salary of current month and the salary of August too in lieu of notice.

The notice received by me from the Storekeeper, reads as under:—

"Mr. Purshottam Krishna Wartak,
Clerk, Stores Dept., Mazagon Dock,

Dear Sir,—Under instructions you are hereby informed that your services are no longer required by the Company from to-day. Please call on Mazagon Dock Accountant for your salary for July and August. Salary for August is in lieu of notice.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd.) A. W. R. HAIRE,
Storekeeper."

STATUE OF KING EDWARD.

UNVEILED BY THE KING IN PALL MALL.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 1 p.m., July 22.

The King this morning unveiled the Statue of King Edward in Pall Mall. There was a distinguished gathering present including the Dominions' Premiers and other Overseas Representatives and every available member of the Royal Family including the Prince of Wales. The cost of the erection of the Statue has been borne by the pre-war subscriptions to the King Edward Memorial Fund.

The King, in the course of a speech, paid a tribute to his father's love of Peace and said that the War seemed a mark of negation of his efforts but might prove the fore-runner of the goodwill of Nations which King Edward had laboured to create. The King mentioned that the largest part of the sum subscribed would be devoted to an establishment in the Shadwell Park for the recreation of the population of East End, an object which would have appealed most to King Edward.

REDUCTIONS OF WAGES.

LONDON TEXTILE ASSOCIATION'S WARNING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 22.

The Wholesale Textile Association of London has intimated to the Union of shop-assistants, warehousemen and Clerks that it proposes to reduce the wages of men and women by an average of 10 per cent. and 15 per cent. respectively 20,000 are affected.

OPERATIONS IN ASIA MINOR.

HOW KUTAHIA WAS TAKEN.

(REUTER.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 22.

Athens.—A semi-official account of the operations in Asia Minor says that the Turkish positions were overwhelmed by a series of turning movements and thus Kutahia which was defended with 160 guns was abandoned owing to the concentric advance of four columns after four days' battle. It is estimated that the Turkish prisoners number 30,000.

It is hoped that the march which is now proceeding to cut the Turkish communications between Kutahia and Eskishehr and Eskishehr and Angora will achieve similar success.

AMATLAN OIL-FIELDS ON FIRE.

INCALCULABLE FINANCIAL LOSS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 10-30 p.m., July 22.

A message from Mexico City states that the Amatlan Oilfields are reported to be on fire. The drilling towers are crashing down and workmen are fleeing for their lives. Columns of fire hundred feet high are covering entire fields and all efforts to suppress the blaze are considered to be hopeless. The financial loss is incalculable. Fatalities are feared as the fire is spreading rapidly, causing other wells to explode.

BOYCOTT MOVEMENT.

MAHATMA'S LECTURE ON "SWADESHI."

ENTHUSIASTIC RESPONSE EVOKED.

Under the auspices of the "C" Ward Congress Committee, Mahatma Gandhi delivered a lecture on "Swadeshi", at the Mosarji Goculdas Hall at 9 p.m. Long before the actual hour of the meeting, the hall was packed to its utmost capacity. There was also a very large attendance of ladies of all communities.

At the outset Mr. Jarajani in a short speech appealed to those present to create no disturbance at all during the course of the Mahatma's lecture; and to remain seated until the Mahatma had left the hall. This advice was followed by most of the audience with the exception of a few persons including two volunteers.

Mahatma Gandhi in his lecture once again exhorted those present to wear the Khadar dress and boycott all foreign-made clothes before the 1st of August. He asked them to send their foreign-made clothes to a depot specially opened for the purpose. The Mahatma spoke on "Swadeshi" for about half an hour and was listened to with great attention.

MAHATMA GANDHI

Mahatma Gandhi who on rising to speak received an ovation said that he had been addressing men and women everywhere in the city and he thought he would not be in a position to speak to them anything new on Swadeshi. A gentleman had come to him from Lucknow who told him that something was going wrong in the United Provinces. A man had been incarcerated by Government for three days in a very dark cell for some trivial offence and was still in the gaol. The gentleman from Lucknow asked the speaker as to what a man in that position should do. He advised him to bear all hardships with patience. They should all create in their hearts the virtue of patience. He was not sure whether that story told by the gentleman was true or not, for it was very difficult to remain incarcerated for three days in a dark room. Of course he had an experience of such an incident, because they had not yet forgotten as yet the cruelties perpetrated on Indians by foreigners in the Punjab. Therefore the story related to him might be true.

SUFFERING—THE WAY TO SWARAJ.

He would again tell them that if they did not understand their duty towards the country they were not, then, right in asking for freedom. He was going to speak to them on "Swadeshi" to-night. There were other stories related to him by some one that there were three persons arrested by Government. One of them is a Congress Secretary who on being arrested by Government apologised to the Government and the remaining two also apologised. They (the (three men) had now given up the national cause and are remaining aloof from the movement. They should feel ashamed of such actions. He would appeal to those present to be fearless as far as possible, for when their object was laudable, why should they care for the Government. If they were not willing to undergo hardships and troubles they should give up the movement, at this stage. He, therefore, appealed to every man and woman present in the hall to be ready for *Dukha* (pains) at any time for the sake of his country.

DEPOT FOR FOREIGN CLOTHES.

They had opened a depot for foreign-made clothes, where they could send their clothes without any hesitation. If they did not succeed in boycotting foreign cloth by 31st July they would be put to great shame in the eyes of their fellowmen and in the eyes of the world-at-large.

The Mahatma asked whether they had made any preparations for the 1st of August. There was no shame at all in sending away their clothes to that depot for foreign-made clothes. Some *bahens* (sisters) when asked to boycott their foreign-made *saris*, said that they were unwilling to do so. No doubt there were other women who were ever ready to wear the Khadi dress. Whatever 'pardeshi' (foreign) clothes a woman had at present, she should give them up in obedience to the call of the nation. If men and women present at the meeting were not willing to boycott their foreign-made clothes, they had no right, no claim whatever to Swarajya.

MACHINE-MADE CLOTHES—NOT SWADESHI.

Whatever he had got to say to-night he had already said many times and he would now ask those who were willing to do what he desired to raise up their hands. But before they raised their hands he must tell them that the so-called Swadeshi cloth manufactured in mills should not at all be resorted to; for his advice to them was to avoid all machine-made clothes. The supreme virtue of the Khadi was that it was hand-spun and handwoven.

The Bezwada Khadi sarees, the speaker said, were now not available in large stock but in their absence, they could very easily wear Khadi sarees and on the 1st of August they would see many women wearing Khadi sarees. He would again tell them that there was no shame at all in adopting that dress, for, it was their national dress. They should not keep Niracha (pessimism) in their mind, but they should be courageous in fighting the battle of Indian nationalism.

A BRAVE SHOW OF HANDS.

He, then, asked those men and women willing to dress themselves on the 1st of August and thereafter in the Khadi, to raise up their hands. At that request nearly all present in the hall raised up their hands. Some women were found somewhat unwilling to raise up their hands.

The Mahatma again appealed to them to boycott foreign-made clothes and wear the Khaddar dress without any fear or favour. Still, he would ask them not to be led away by any threats or by his speeches, but if they thought in their heart of hearts that by giving an impetus to the Swadeshi movement they would be in a position to redeem the country from the bondage of slavery, then alone they should resort to it and not otherwise. He was, however, glad to find that so many present in the meeting had raised up their hand conscientiously and, therefore, he had every hope that by the 1st of August he would see them attired in Shudh Swadeshi dress.

Concluding, the Mahatma said he had nothing more now to speak on the Swadeshi movement, for he had been speaking constantly on the same theme for the last so many days. He had great faith in his countrymen and he therefore, prayed to God that the great movement he had set on foot would bear good results in the end. (Prolonged cheers.)

QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

Before the meeting was brought to a close, Mahatma Gandhi asked those present to put to him questions with regard to the Swadeshi movement to remove their doubts if they had any in their minds.

Thereupon, one Hindu gentleman enquired of the Mahatma where the best quality hand-spun Dhoti was available in the city. The Mahatma replied that Bhai Vithaldas Jerajani is dealing in hand-spun dhoties and therefore, they could be available from him.

Two Hindu women then garlanded Mahatma Gandhi. The meeting then terminated.

BOYCOTT MOVEMENT IN CALCUTTA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 22.

In connection with propaganda of the boycott of foreign goods a meeting was held last evening at Barra Bazar under the presidency of Sirdar Lakshman Singh of Sikh Sanga. The meeting was mostly attended by Marwaris, up-country men and Mahomedans. Speeches were made in Hindi and Urdu urging the audience to give up the use of foreign clothes.

HIGHHANDEDNESS IN DHRANGADRA AND HALVAD.

FURTHER DISQUIETING NEWS.

INDISCRIMINATE ARRESTS AND HARASSMENT.

K. H. POLITICAL CONFERENCE'S SPECIAL SESSION.

(From our Correspondent.)

WADHWAN, July 22.

Further intimations from Dhrangadra and Halvad are very shocking. Railway passengers bring stories of police highhandedness. Commotion there continues unabated. The railway gates of City Halvad, and Dhrangadra are closely guarded. Passengers are allowed travelling only if the authorities are satisfied that they are not going out to spread Dhrangadra news. Still some people from Dhrangadra and Halvad arrived yesterday evening. They had to adopt crooked ways and means to reach the railway station. At Halvad the Vahivatdar ordered the closing of shops after 9 p.m. In the evening, even girls who were out for singing in the performance of religious ceremonies were asked to close up and retire. Mr. Ratilal, the school-master of the English School, was abused, and severely beaten by the Vahivatdar. Mr. Ratilal tolerated all this, saying he was a Satyagrahi.

ARSEST OF SCHOOL-BOYS.

The boys of the English-Gujrati School are on strike. They held their meeting in a temple and resolved to hold on till the Vahivatdar apologised. The police arrived in the temple, arrested forty boys, detained them in custody, but released them subsequently.

On the guarantee of the headmaster at Dhrangadra, the school-master, Mr. Nandlal, who was in jail for refusing to give bail, has been released. It is reported he was severely beaten in jail.

POLITICAL CONFERENCE MEETING.

Yesterday evening, the Committee of the Political Conference met here. Some twenty-five members arrived from different places, as also the volunteers from adjoining places. The Committee took up the Dhrangadra question. A written statement of volunteer, Bhai Fulchand, was submitted. The Committee examined the people who had come from Dhranadra and Halvad. Eventually it was decided to hold a special session to-day at Dhrangadra. All members, including Messrs. Shukla and Mansukhlal, and volunteers are also going there to-day. Two members proceeded there early morning with Mr. Shukla's letter on Dewan intimating him of the Committee's arrival and purpose. The Committee's decision is hailed by the people. Great excitement prevails.

DEPORTATIONS AND INTERNMENTS.

STATISTICS FOR BOMBAY PRESIDENCY DEMANDED.

The following question is to be put by Mr. Ibrahim S. Haji, Bar.-at-Law, in the comming session of the Legislative Council:—

Will the Government be pleased to state the number and names of persons both Indians and Europeans deported from, and interned in, this Presidency without trial since the outbreak of the great war? If any, will the Government be pleased to state for what offences and under what regulations and when they were deported and interned?

DHARWAR SHOOTING CASE.

ALLEGED INJUSTICE TO PLEADERS.

"NO OPEN TRIAL."

GREAT DISSATISFACTION PREVALENT.

(Associated Press.)

DHARWAR, July 21.

The Hon. Mr. Hayward left Dharwar on Sunday and on the same day Mr. Lawrence who is appointed as the Additional District Magistrate to try this case, arrived with his staff. Mr. Kemp, Bar.-at-Law, has come as the Prosecuting Counsel. In the evening one Buddan, a Tongawalla, was arrested, the total number of arrest being 29.

On Monday the trial was begun in a Court situated in the jail compound about 100 yards from the jail gate. The Court-house selected is a very small place and can scarcely accommodate more than 50 persons. The defence pleaders went to the prison gate at about 1-30 p.m. The police who were posted at the gate refused to carry the message from the pleaders to Mr. Lawrence, the trying Magistrate, who was inside. About 10 or 15 minutes after Mr. Lawrence came to the gate and handed over five passes to pleaders and 30 general passes for the use of the relatives of the accused. There was some altercation between Mr. R. P. Karandikar, the pleader of Satara, who had specially come here for this case and Mr. Lawrence about the rigidity and inconvenience in the matter of admission of the pleaders. The attitude of Mr. Lawrence appeared to be very stiff. Mr. Lawrence went inside and within a few minutes the Prosecuting Counsel with his two assistants came at the prison gate and they were immediately admitted by the police though they had no passes. In spite of their being in possession of passes given by the trying Magistrate the defence pleaders were pushed back.

OPEN COURT TRIAL DENIED.

The immediate admission of the prosecuting pleaders while the defence pleaders had been waiting for half an hour at the prison gate and their being pushed back wounded the self-respect of the defence pleaders and at this they along with all the persons who had gathered there left the compound and sent a wire to the High Court and the Governor expressing that the tradition of the open Court trial was being defied.

CHARGE SHEET.

The police presented the charge sheet charging the 29 accused under sections 147, 395, 436 and 109 of I. P. C. The Prosecuting Counsel suggested that two more charges under sections 149 and 453 should be added to the above charges. The charge sheet contained in all 123 witnesses, the majority of these are Lingayat, Jain, Maratha and other non-Brahmin classes. The charge sheet stated that the investigation was not yet complete and many more would be arrested after recording the first evidence by the police. After reading the charge sheet to the accused they were asked to give the names of their pleaders. At this stage the Court adjourned. In the evening the pleaders for the defence were intimated that the trial was to commence the next day and also the rules of admission to the Court. These rules are causing hardship, the number of admission being limited to 30, which is too inadequate taking into consideration the number of the accused who are 29. As a protest for the insult of the defence pleaders Mr. Karandikar of Satara has refused to conduct the case so long as the Court is held in the prison and admission of pleaders to the Court is granted only by passes.

On the 19th instant the pleaders who had been insulted the previous day wrote to Mr. Lawrence protesting against the incident of the previous day. It is learnt that Mr. Lawrence expressed his regret about the incident. Still none of the pleaders appeared in the Court. There was no audience in the Court. Before the trial commenced the accused submitted that they were not going to take part in the proceedings unless the grievances already submitted by them to the Government were removed and the trial was held in the open Court outside the jail premises.

MR. HULKOTI'S APPOINTMENT.

They further contended that Government had specially appointed Mr. Hulkoti, a Lingayat pleader, on payment of Rs. 100 per diem to keep the Lingayats on the prosecuting side and that there was no necessity to appoint him as an assistant to the Prosecuting Counsel in the presence of a senior and able Government Pleader, Mr. Shivarao Arur. Though the Government Pleader already has two assistants and four honorary assistants to help him in his usual work, one does not know why Government should choose Mr. Hulkoti as a special assistant in this case on the special payment of Rs. 100 per diem. It is understood that Mr. Shivarao, the Government Pleader, is not paid so much. The accused further complained that the police was keeping the charge sheet deliberately vague and purposely leaving the investigation uncompleted with a view to handicap the accused in their defence. They also referred to the insult meted to the pleaders on the previous day.

When the trial began the Prosecuting Counsel was there with his two assistants and a C. I. D. officer and there was no one appeared for the defence. The prosecution had an easy task before them. In all 11 witnesses were examined for the day. The accused declined to cross-examine any of the witnesses of the prosecution, the Court reserved the cross-examination remarking that the defence peaders might have their chance if they turned up.

The accused declared that they had no faith in Mr. Hulkoti as he was mistranslating and contended that his translations were not the translations, but insinnations.

LOITERING WITNESSES REPRIMANDED.

At Wednesday's trial, before the examination of the prosecution witnesses, the accused submitted to the Court that the policemen who were witnesses in this case were kept as guards over them purposely to facilitate their identifying the accused and when the Court knew that they had made allegations against the D. S. P., they urged that the Court should verify for itself by asking for the list of such policemen who were kept guards over them during the last 20 days. The accused further stated that the witnesses for prosecution were deliberately made to wait on the way from the lock-up to the Court-house and the accused were pointed out to those witnesses by the police to enable them to identify the required accused. During the course of the trial the accused complained to the Court that Mr. Hulkoti was mistranslating and requested the Court to ask the Court clerk to translate. In the course of the proceedings accused saw one or two witnesses loitering outside and brought this to the notice of the Court and requested the Magistrate to see it for himself. The Magistrate while coming out saw one witness running away and another still standing and reprimanded the one who was standing and also warned the police not to allow the witnesses to loiter.

MISTAKES IN IDENTIFICATION.

One of the prosecuting witnesses named Mr. Bhisse was one of the loiterers and when he was asked by the Court to point him out he pointed out Mr. Kabbur. There was a great stir among the accused at this. The witness then corrected himself and said that he was not Mr. Bhisse. The Prosecuting Counsel wanted to put a leading question to the witness, but the accused took objection to it. But the Court questioned the witness why he pointed at Mr. Kabbur to which the witness replied that he had not pointed out Mr. Kabbur. The witness failed to identify one of the accused he had named. The Prosecuting Counsel complained that the accused had interchanged their head dresses and so the witness was unable to identify the required person. The Court directed the accused to put their own head dresses. The accused questioned the Court under what law they were directed to do so and urged that the interchange of the head dresses was necessary to test the veracity of the witness and that they were not bound to facilitate the prosecuting witnesses to identify the accused. But the Court insisted that the accused must wear their own head dresses and the accused had to obey the orders. Nevertheless the witness was unable to point out the right man. Ten more witnesses were examined when the Court rose for the day.

THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The trial resuming on Thursday there were in all seven witnesses examined. Three of them being police constables. They named three more new persons as being present at the time of the riot. One witness pointed to Mahisi, a non-cooperating student, sitting by the side of the reporters as one of those three above-mentioned. The Court examined Mahisi to ascertain if he was not the man named. The accused again applied to the Court making allegations against Mr. Hulkoti, the Special Government Pleader, that he was mistranslating evidence. The Court declared the allegations to be false, but ordered the Court clerk to translate. Again no pleaders appeared for the defence.

Mr. Chitale, Member of the Legislative Council of Ahmednagar, Mr. Vaze, Editor of the "Servant of India" of Poona, and Mr. Moropant Marathe of Belgaum came here yesterday to enquire into the facts of the Dharwar shooting case.

THE DHARWAR TRAGEDY.

The "Bengalee" writes:—The communique which the Government of Bombay has issued on the subject of the tragedy at Dharwar has failed to satisfy the public. It is believed the whole episode has not been shown in its true perspective, between which and the Jhallianwalla Bag affair, it is said, there is a strange family likeness. If this be true, it will be a reprehensible act on the part of the authorities to leave the matter where it is. The whole matter relating to firing should be properly cleared up. There is keen resentment in the public mind that firing was resorted to in a light-hearted manner. The lord of the district, Mr. Painter may rejoice to paint himself as a lion but the public have a right to know the reason why the situation was handled not only in a tactless but in an aggravating manner.

MAJOR YOUNG'S CONVICTION.

THE JUDGMENT.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July 21.

In his judgment in the railway case in which Major M. S. Young of the 14th Jat Lancers, Sialkot, was fined Rs. 30 for the offence under Section 120 of the Railway Act, Mr. Fyson, District Magistrate, Sialkot, says that, if the accused struck with a cane an Indian lady who was on the upper berth of a second-class compartment, he did so unintentionally. The accused denies having touched the lady, but he certainly raised his cane, tapped the passengers with it, and ordered them out of the compartment. The Magistrate found that the accused intimidated passengers in some way by his manner, tone and the cane. The accused further admitted, says the judgment, that he himself and his wife travelled without tickets, though the accused says he intended to purchase them. In conclusion, the Magistrate finds that there were no extenuating circumstances and fined the accused as stated above.

REPRESSIVE LAWS COMMITTEE.

SESSIONS IN SIMLA.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, July 21.

The Repressive Laws Committee, under the able chairmanship of Dr. Sapru, commenced its sittings to-day when it is understood to have examined Sir John Maynard, a member of the Punjab Executive Council.

The Committee consists of three officials and seven non-officials, and will examine thirteen repressive Acts. Quite a large number of witnesses, representing all shades of opinion, including Nationalists and prominent officials, have been invited.

BOMBAY DEVELOPMENT.

WANTED INFORMATION.

(CONTRIBUTED.)

Public opinion is getting more and more keen every day with regard to the scandal of the Development Department and there are several issues on which neither in any publication of the Government nor in the authoritative pronouncement of the Member-in-Charge nor in the several communications which the Government have so far addressed to the Indian Merchants' Chamber there is any clear light to be had. Whatever the ultimate future of this Scheme it would be an advantage to enunciate these issues so as to enable the Government, if they have any case, to place it clearly before the public. The issues clearly divide themselves under three headings, viz., (1) Engineering (2) Financial and (3) Constitutional.

Engineering Aspect.

It is to be assumed that the Government have taken the advice of competent engineers on the subject. But from engineering circles the writer has heard several doubts and seen several shakes of the head. The public would like to be assured on this point. They would like to know which consulting engineers of port experts are earning consulting fees on this operation and whether there are any guarantees that the work as planned out will not prove an engineering failure. It would be further interesting to learn whether the Government are aware that at the time of the last Back Bay reclamation scheme some decades ago by which portions were reclaimed along Marine Lines and the Back Bay shores, it was discovered as an item of some surprise to the engineers and considerable mortification to poor owners of the land all along the Mahim front and further along Juvem right up to Bassein end that the sea made depredations on their poor lands. If the reclamation of a very small area had this effect, are we to assume that the reclamation of the huge area now proposed will not have any such effect? If it is going to have the effect, have the Government taken that into consideration and have they provided for any compensation for the poor people thus affected by the threatened submergence of their lands? Engineering projects by public bodies and by Government have before now proved to be mistaken even when they involved large expenditure.

Costly Failures.

Those who are watching in Bombay will not have forgotten the dome of the new Post Office. There is also the Parsi tunnel curiously enough associated with the administration of Sir Lawley Hepper (then Mr. Hepper) in which a huge amount of expenditure upwards of 50 lakhs of rupees was wasted and the whole work had to be done again and involved an expenditure more than double of the original estimate. The most recent of these fiascos arising from the employment of foreign, and costly engineers has been the Port Trust Oil Pier. Bombay is still paying dearly for its petrol and still undergoing serious inconvenience which prevents the development of motor transport for industrial purposes and is thus an indirect tax upon industry. Further, it may have been remarked by some people that the Marine Lines wall is already giving way, though of recent construction and hardly completed yet. Under the circumstances the public, whose money is going into this enterprise, are entitled to some assurance or guaranteed that there is no conflict of engineering opinion at all and that all the details of the Scheme have been very carefully worked out so far as the engineering side is concerned.

Further, Government have not disclosed on any point up to what height they will have to take the wall and whether the level of the reclaimed land will be very much higher than the level of the residences all round. So far as a layman can understand engineering, it is clear that in the first instance the whole dam would be built and then by the dredger mud would be put into it to fill it up. While this process is going on for an area of about sixty lakhs of sq. yards, whether all the surrounding lands would not be rendered uninhabitable including the office area in the Fort owing to the malaria, influenza and other posts arising out of it.

The financial side.

On the financial side after numerous calculations, the Member-in-Charge definitely declared that the cost of this Scheme of Back Bay was four crores of rupees and that the area recovered would cost at the rate of Rs. 10.15 per sq. yard. Before the vibrations of Sir Chimanlal's sonorous voice had died Mr. Lewis, the Engineer engaged by the Government, recalculated the whole thing at six crores of rupees and in a recent communication to the Indian Merchants' Chamber the estimate given by the Government, recalculatd the whole Government is Rs. 8,50,00,000. In the same communication one learns that the Government have now prepared, that is, very recently, a detailed estimate. It would be legitimate for the public to ask whether these estimates were not prepared before the Government were definitely committed to the Scheme and, if so, what is the reason for these jumps at compound interest in the course of a few months? What is the guarantee that the same estimates may not be again doubled and trebled and quadrupled before the whole Scheme is finished?

The Commercial Transaction with military Authorities.

We further understand that 265 acres of the land recovered has already been sold to the Military Department at Rs. 20 per sq. yard,—a figure which is presumably at something below cost involving the disappearance of all the so-called profits on about a fourth of the area to be recovered. It is also to be inferred from the published Report of the Development Department that there is no cash coming in for this money but that the Military are going to give up certain pieces of land in the city and they are going to recover from the Government of Bombay full cost as realised on these lands. In other words, the Government of Bombay is purchasing land at about Rs. 500 per sq yard and selling better land on sea front at about Rs. 20 per sq. yard to the Military Department. Whoever is responsible for this uncommercial and financially altogether damaging transaction? If this is the way in which the Scheme is going to be managed, the public can have no confidence with regard to the paying capacity of the Scheme. It is easy for crores to disappear when they are by way of profit arising in a Department controlled altogether by self-sufficient bureaucrats. The concern of the public so far as the pecuniary results go should be not so much the counting up of profits of 30 to 50 crores of rupees mentioned by Sir Chimanlal in the Council but avoiding huge and untold liabilities of crores of rupees which may arise from extravagance and irresponsible bargaining, favouratism and corruption. What heritage do the citizens of Bombay wish to live to posterity,—a valuable asset or a sink of public funds which will absorb all new sources of revenue and taxation and prevent not only for the Bombay City but for the whole of the Province any development of education or sanitation?

Costly Foreign Officials.

Even if this Scheme is as profitable as it is desired to prove, why should it be administered by costly foreign officials who consider themselves lords of the earth on which they tread and who are paid very far beyond their merits. It is notorious that the scandal of employment of Englishmen is nowhere greater than in the Development Department. Further all stores and plant in connection with the Development is being purchased in the United Kingdom without any reference to lower prices prevailing elsewhere. This itself means that if the outlay for the imported plant the Government is paying 30 to 40 per cent. more,—a wastage which cannot be checked until either the Scheme is abandoned or the whole Department is made into a Transferred Department in charge of a responsible non-official Indian. Further it may be questioned whether the Government are not over-sanguine with regard to their ability to sell all the land which pre-supposes the existence of several crores of rupees free money ready to go into the building trade. If the Government sell land worth 25 crores of rupees in the year 1929 it is legitimate to assume that at least an equal amount would be required for building upon the same land. Have they considered whether there is much free money in the City or in the country for this purpose and if not they have allowed for the delay, and the loss of interest and other items. At what rate has the interest been calculated and with what period of rest because it is a problem of compound interest would also be matters on which some enlightenment to the anxious public is needed.

The Constitutional Grievance.

The grievances of the public on the constitutional side are the most acute. The Government of Bombay committed themselves to the Scheme of Back Bay reclamation without any reference to any public bodies at all. Before the Department was formed orders were placed in the United Kingdom amounting to several crores. The Governor on his own responsibility appointed Sir Lawless Hepper and it is notorious in political circles that Sir Lawless Hepper could not be under any of the members of the Executive Council but could either be an independent Member or could be responsible to the Governor personally. Such an autocratic procedure was found too much even by the mild men who are associated with the Government and in response to sentiments expressed inside Government circles, the Department was ultimately placed under a Member of the Executive Council. Even at that stage no information of any kind was made available to the public except that the Government had formed such a Department. The first thing which residents and land-owners in the suburbs learned of the existence of the Department was a notification by the Gazette, by which their lands were declared for acquisition by Government. Such notifications never gave any definite idea of the purposes for which the lands were required. With reference to the Back Bay itself, it was assumed and taken for granted that because of the scheme was dear to its sponsors, it could be imposed on an unsuspecting public by a mere brain-wave such as the Government occasionally have. They decided to associate some non-official Indians in the Advisory Committee but the Advisory Committee's powers and constitution were so restricted that it is a wonder that any self-respecting individuals consent to work on it. The Department was not made a Transferred Subject though it is only a public work, under the ordinary sense of the word and the Public Works Department is a Transferred Subject. The Government doubtless have some kind of legal quibble in their hand to show that the Department could not be a Transferred Subject but the public will never swallow a tale of that kind, where the welfare of so many people is involved and where if anything went wrong with the Scheme, the future public revenues of the Province stand mortgaged. If the whole scheme is a business scheme why is the Government afraid to entrust it to a Minister who would be a non-official businessman and who would be assisted by a statutory Committee of non-official businessmen?

PUBLIC MEETINGS PROHIBITED AT NARAINGANJ.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 22.

Owing to disturbance at Non-Cooperation meeting held at Narainganj in Dacca District on Monday evening in which three men got injuries, the Sub-Divisional Officer of Narainganj has issued a notice forbidding public gatherings in that town for fifteen days This notice has been served on sixteen leading men including the President and secretaries of the District Congress Committee and the Chairman of the local Municipality, the remaining twelve being either medical or legal practitioners.

A SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

G. I. P. CLERK MURDERED FOR MONEY.

THE CULPRITS ESCAPE.

Report has been brought of a shocking tragedy which occurred on the 20th instant between Igatpuri and Pachora and which has created a great sensation in the city. A Hindoo payclerk working in the Cash Department, G. I. P. Railway Company, Office, Mr. Shantaram Balkrishna Vagal by name, together with a Hindoo Peon of the same Office Mahadeo Sajan, left Bombay for Jubbalpore on the 20th instant at 5 p.m. by the 13th Down Passenger Train, with some thousands of rupees in his possession to make payments there. The clerk and the peon were in one reserved compartment and they were quite safe when the train left the Victoria Terminus. Sometime in the night when the train was between Igatpuri and Pachora some unknown persons boarded the train and cruelly murdered both the clerk and the peon and decamped with the money they (the G. I. P. servants) had in their possession. It is not known how many passengers were actually seated in the compartment in which there were the clerk and the peon.

The incident was brought to the notice of a police officer at the Pachora Station when the 13th Down Train arrived there. On enquires being made, the dead bodies of the clerk and the peon were found in the compartment and the carriage was immediately detached from the train. Thereupon, the Bombay Office was immediately wired to by the authorities concerned.

A representative of the "Chronicle" yesterday morning interviewed the Superintendent of the Cash Department, G. I. P. Railway Company, who narrated the above incident and said that it was not possible to assert how much money Mr. Vagal had with him when he left Bombay for Jubbalpore. The relations of Mr. Vagal had been duly wired to from Pachora about the sad occurrence and they have already left Bombay by the Punjab Mail Train. The Railway Authorities have been instituting further enquiries in the matter.

UNIVERSITY SENATE MEETING.

DISCUSSION OVER SPECIAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

On Thursday last, the adjourned meeting of the Senate was held under the presidentship of the Hon. Sir Chimanlal Satalvad, the Vice-Chancellor.

Before the commencement of the business proper the Vice-Chancellor referring to the death of Mr. Bharda said that he was an earnest educationist who used to take keen interest in the progress of education and the Senate would miss him very much.

The Senate than proceeded to consider the report of the special Committee on the Calcutta University Commission's recommendations.

Dr. A. G. Viegas moved a resolution to the effect that the University should be made a teaching one especially as regards the post graduate courses and that it should undertake to teach upto M.A. and M.Sc. degrees and take charges of all research work in science and other subjects.

Mr. H. J. Bhabha and Prof. Naik moved two amendments which were rejected. Prof. Meldrum, Principal Mackenzie and Mr. K. Natarajan were the speakers on the resolution.

Dr. Mann moved another amendment that the University should be a teaching university mainly as regards the arts and post graduate courses, that it should undertake the teaching of and preparation for the M.A. and M.Sc. courses, that it should so far as Bombay was concerned, concentrate the post graduate work in arts and science in its own hands and elsewhere at present in Poona and Ahmedabad it should specially organise port graduate teaching by arrangements between several colleges concentrated in one centre, where the existing colleges were in combination capable of undertaking the work; and that research training should be concentrated so far as Bombay was concerned, in the hands of the university professors organised under university control. This amendment was carried and agreed as substantive proposition.

Most of the other proposals of the special committee which were considered were passed.

The Senate adjourned to Friday.

MR. BHARUCHA AND MORVI.

To

Mr. Barjorji F. Bharucha,

Re: Your Open Letter.

Will you please declare, what interest you have got with the subjects of Morvi State that you are criticizing from abroad the said State, without realism?

Your appeal to Kathiawar Agency is of no weight, as they are enjoying the responsible and answerable status and they know their duty more than yourself. They periodically visit the Native States personally and they are content with State Affairs.

Also Mr. Bharucha, don't forget the Maxim of the Law that "King can do no wrong."

Every king well knows that his subjects are his limbs and therefore, he takes most care for his subjects with utmost zeal at his heart.

Lastly, I pray God that you would be a king to personally experience the State Affairs.

It is easy to criticize but difficult to exercise.—Yours, etc.,

T. M. MASTER.

July 18.

Hon. Sachidananda Sinha, President of Behar and Orissa Legislative Council was "at home" to his friends on July 21st to meet Hon. Mr. Whyte, President, Legislative Assembly. A large number of officials and non-officials were present and it was a grand success.

PRESS COMMITTES REPORT.

CALCUTTA PRESS COMMENTS.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 21.

THE "STATESMAN."

Commenting on the Press Committee's report, the "Statesman" says there appears to be no ground for any vehement opposition to its recommendations. The experiment of a free press is always worth trying, and it is permissible to hope that ultimately a sense of responsibility will provide more vigilant and active restraint than any act of legislature can impose. If the experiment fails it will always be possible to pass a new Press Act.

THE "ENGLISHMAN."

The "Englishman" says the European community in India must make the best of it, but one would be more inclined to accept the decision had the report of the Committee been statesmanlike and a cogent document, whereas it is hotchpotch of contradictory argument. The paper thinks if the Act has proved ineffective it is because its provisions were not regularly enforced.

THE "A. B. PATRIKA."

The "Amrita Bazar Patrika" says the report will be received with general satisfaction, though it thinks certain remarks in it are open to objection. The Committee have made out a very strong case for the repeal of the Press Act and deserve the thanks of the public.

"THE INDIAN DAILY NEWS."

The "Indian Daily News" considers the decision for the repeal of the Press Act could not have been otherwise as it has simply failed to justify itself, and is an anachronism at India's present stage of civilisation. The paper considers the suggestion that the Editor's name should be inscribed on each issue of the paper is absurd, and suggests a declaration should be made every time the Editor is changed.

THE "TRIBUNE" ON PRESS ACT.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July 21.

The "Tribune" is not in favour of retention of the power of Government to confiscate openly seditious leaflets or of retention of the powers under sections 13 to 15 of the Press Act. It says:—In our opinion, the only power which the Committee might justifiably have given to Government and its officers is the power to confiscate openly seditious publications of two specific descriptions, and only two, those of foreign origin, the authors or publishers of which are outside the reach of our courts of law, and those publications in India itself which are anonymous and do not contain the name of the printer and publisher. In other words, the prevention by the executive order can justifiably be resorted to only where punishment by a judicial order is not within your reach. That is a single limit, subject to which the liberty of the Press must be absolute and paramount.

MORE PRESS OPINIONS.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July 22.

The "Bande Mataram" speaking of the Press Committee's report says the proposal of the repeal of the Act in face of local Government's opposition is creditable. Publication of editor's name unnecessary, a declaration when the editor changes should be enough. Retention of clauses 13 and 14 will keep unpleasant memories alive and are against the real freedom of the press.

The "C. and M. Gazette" says very few editors would desire the self-advertisement of seeing their name blazoned on the front sheet day after day and there seems no particular point in the recommendation. There would be no objection to the editor's name being registered or even published along with that of the printer and publisher in the comfortable obscurity of the back page.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 22.

Market for jute shares ruled quiet with only small business passing. Howrah improved their position. Coal shares were very strong with buyers of most of higher priced stocks together with good demand for many of cheaper securities. Miscellaneous section was steady with a fair business reported. Dunbar Cotton registered a rise of forty points during the day. Following were closing quotation:—

Coal:—Auckland 3-12, Bansra 15-8, Baraboni 18-4, Bengal 975, Bengal Giridih 26-8, Bhalgora 33-4, Bhulanbararee 63-8, Bokaro and Ramgurh 26-4, Borcola 0-14 discount, Borree 40-4, Burra Dhemo 12, Burrakhur 55, Caledonian 10-4, Central Pench 12-8, Deola 47-4, Equitable 41-4, Ghusick 27-14, Gopalichuck 13-8, Imperial 10-12, Jainty West 14-4, Kalapahari 23-8, Kosoonda and Nyadee 33-12, Neetoria 10-10, New Beerbhoom 38-4, Maubhoom 63-8, North Laikdih 12-4, Patmohina 11, Phularitand 8-10, Rangegungh 65-12, Sendra 30-12, South Govindpur 10-12, Sowardih 11-12.

Jute:—Budge Budge (pref) 102, Dalhousie (pref) 103, Howrah 36-4, Kankinarrah 370, Lawrence (pref) 103, Reliance 32-4.

Miscellaneous:—Bengal Nagpur Cotton 400, Bararee Coke 15-4, British India Corporation 11, Central Provinces Cement 7-8, Dunbar Cotton 493, Gourepore (deb) 75, Hooghly Flour 40-4, Hatirkool Oil 9, Hume Pipes 8, Indo-Burma Tin 5-14, Imperial Bank (fully paid) 1196 and (contry) 327, Indian Iron and Steel (old) 64, Kesoram Cotton 16-2, Marshall Sons India Ltd. 8.

Government paper three and half per cent was quoted at Rs. 60-4. War Bonds short loans at 100-4 and 1925, 1928 and 1930 at 100-2 per cent.

It is officially stated that there is no foundation for rumour that Bhimgoda weir at Hardwar has been breached and that the Ganges canal will be closed temporarily. The Ganges canal flows as usual.

At a meeting of the Kashipur Anam Sabha a zemindar announced his readiness to place 100 men as volunteers at the disposal of Government to counteract the evils of the present revolutionary propaganda.

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A MIRABLE PRECEDENT OF THANA BOARD.

COLLECTOR'S ORDER OF ABEYANCE.

PRESIDENT'S COGENT REPLY.

The following letter was addressed to the Commissioner, N. D., Ahmedabad, by Mr. S. G. Phadke, President of the Thana District Local Board, in connection with the order of the Collector of Thana suspending the execution of the resolutions of the Thana District Local Board, *re.* Picketing:—

COLLECTOR'S ORDER.

Read resolution No. 1 passed by the District Local Board, Thana, at a special meeting held on the 6th July, 1921, a copy of which has been received by the President, District Local Board, Thana's No. M. R. L. B. D.

The Collector hereby orders, under Section 64 of the Bombay Local Boards Act, 1884, that the execution of the District Local Board's resolution be held in abeyance.

Thana, 9th July, 1921.

(Sd.) C. S. CAMPBELL,
Collector of Thana.

PRESIDENT'S REPLY.

From S. G. Phadke, Esqr., President, District Local Board Thana;

To the Commissioner, N. D., Ahmedabad.

Sir,—With reference to the Collector of Thana's order No. nil dated 9th July, 1921 suspending the execution of the resolutions of the District Local Board, *re.* Picketing, I have the honour to submit the following for your consideration:—

1. Perhaps you are aware that of all the districts in the Presidency, Thana District is the worst offender in respect of the drink evil and there is no doubt that if the Board had the power to prohibit the use of drink within its limits, it would do unhesitatingly so without any reservation. The spontaneous movement throughout the country to stop the growth of drink and if possible prohibit it altogether, has not left the life of this district untouched. There have been in various towns and villages of this district an extraordinary awakening and zeal on the part of the people in this respect, with the result that Congress Committees in the district and (where the Congress Committee have failed in what the people regard as their duty), the people themselves have organised and are organizing picketing of liquor shops. Experience of picketing in other districts goes to show that the police and the license-holders on the one hand and the pickets on the other come in conflict and sometimes breach of peace takes place. I have no reason to think that the movement of picketing is conducted by the people on violent lines. On the contrary I am inclined to think that peaceful and dignified method are resorted to by them. I am not holding any brief for the pickets, but I do feel that there is a tendency on the part of petty police officials aided and abetted by the license-holders whose interests are at stake to put down this movement by hook or by crook and the result is confusion and conflict. It should therefore be the desire of all well-wishers of the country, be they officials or non-officials to see that the picketing movement is properly regulated and the chances of friction are minimised.

2. If once the police realised that the pickets are not irresponsible people and are actuated by the best of motives to do good to the society perhaps it is possible to minimise the chances of friction. This can be made possible if the Local Bodies themselves, if so inclined, organise and conduct the work of picketing. If they employ their own staff for the purpose, members of that staff become in law public servants and any access or misbehaviour on the part of such pickets can then be reported to the Local Bodies concerned. The license-holders as well as the police will at once realise that they are dealing with pickets who are responsible to a public body and therefore public servants.

OBJECT OF THE RESOLUTION.

3. You will thus see, Sir, that the object of the Board in passing the resolution is to so regulate the movement as to prevent any chance of a breach of peace which otherwise might take place. We must recognise that the movement has come to stay and while welcoming it, it is our duty to see that it progresses on healthy lines for public good. Under Section 64, Local Board Act, the Collector has suspended the resolution of the Board and he must have reported the matter under para. 2 of the section to you for final order. This representation has been made to you, a copy having been sent to the Collector in order to enable you to arrive at a right decision. Before I conclude I should like to invite your attention to one point which, though the Collector has not raised, might be of some help to you in the determination of the question. The Collector has not taken objection to the resolution on the ground that it is *ultra vires* of this Board. But as one official member of the Board had during the resolution suggested that under the Act the Board had no power to pass such resolution, I feel I should refer to it. In this connection I would like to invite your attention to clause K of Section 30 of the Act which gives powers to a local Board to provide at its discretion out of the local funds for any measures likely to promote the health of the public. The proposer of the resolution had put forward this view during the debate and the Board had accepted it, subject to a dissentient note of the official member referred to. I need hardly assure you that the Board in passing resolution had the main object of avoiding the chances of breach of peace which are less likely under pickets, who being public servants are expected to have a greater sense of responsibility for peace and order than otherwise.

I have etc.,
(Sd.) S. G. PHADKE,
President, District Local Board, Thana.

BIHAR AND ORISSA COUNCIL.

IMPROVEMENTS IN AGRICULTURE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
PATNA, July 21.

At the Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council to-day Babu Nirsu Narain Sinha moved that a committee of five members be formed to consider the advisability of retaining the Agricultural College at Sabour and consider the whole system of Agricultural Department. He said that Agricultural Department and the college had not produced any good result and cultivators of province had not in any way been benefited. The college was started in 1910 and till now only 13 students had passed out of the college. It was argued that there was the Imperial Research Institution at Pusa within this province, which might give all the instructions necessary, and results achieved in this institute might be utilised by the people of this province.

The Hon. Fakhruddin said he went to Sabour College in company with some members of Council and spent two days there on enquiry. He was dissatisfied with the results achieved by the college. He thought of either abolishing the college or making such improvements as would make the college useful, and with that end in view he called an agricultural conference in which it was decided to abolish the two years' English course and introduce in its place four months vernacular course for the benefit of agricultural class. He had also with the approval of His Excellency, the Governor, decided to appoint an advisory committee whose recommendations would be as much binding as those of the Committee appointed by this resolution would be. He said he was for retrenchment and economy and would be very glad to appoint Indians if Indians with proper qualifications were available. He urged the mover to withdraw the resolution on the assurance that the matter would be considered by the advisory board.

The resolution was not withdrawn.

Babu Ganesh Dutt Singh urged not to appoint too many committees as their recommendation might clash and the Government would not know which to follow.

The Hon. Mr. Das said he experimented with a man from Government Farm on his own land but found that his Mali knew better. He could not understand what Government wanted to teach the cultivators.

Mr. Morrison representative of the Anglo-Indian community, supported the resolution and said he was interested in the improvement of agriculture, as his community, in future, should look to the produce of land for support. His community was against people coming from home appointed to high positions in the department which has failed to do good work for want of propaganda. It would do better work and gain popularity if Indians and Anglo-Indians were appointed to high posts in it.

The resolution was carried.

Rai Bahadur Narendra Narayan Ray Monasay's motion that Chowkidars tax in Orissa be abolished immediately was lost.

SIR T. HOLLAND AND INDIAN MERCHANTS' CHAMBER.

S. INDIA CHAMBER'S LETTER TO GOVT. OF INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, July 21.

With reference to Sir Thomas Holland's reply to the Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay, regarding the purchase of stores by the Indian High Commissioner, President of the Southern India Chamber of Commerce, has addressed the Industries Department of the Government of India, inviting attention to an extract from the report furnished by the special correspondent of the "Hindu," published in its issue of the 6th July, regarding Sir William Meyer's evidence before the Railway Committee, which showed that British firms were being subsidised to a certain extent. The Chamber makes a request to Government to call for a full and authorised report of Sir William Meyer's evidence before the Committee, and to ascertain, in the meantime, if the statements contained in the extract are correct, and, in the event of its being well-founded, to call for a full explanation from Sir William as to the extent to which Indian financial interests were being sacrificed to subsidize British industrials.

MISBEHAVIOUR OF POLICE TOWARDS MAGISTRATE.

DY. COMMISSIONER'S APOLOGY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, July 21.

The "New India" understands that Mr. A. J. Happel, Deputy Commissioner of Police, tendered apology to Mr. P. C. Lobo, Presidency Magistrate, on behalf of the police, some of whom misbehaved towards the Magistrate on the 31st last. The apology was accepted.

THE GUJARAT MAHAVIDYALAYA.

OPENING OF SCHOOL OF COMMERCE.

The Principal of the Gujarat Mahavidyalaya, Ahmedabad writes:—

To meet the wishes of a large number of students from different parts of the Bombay Presidency, the Gujarat Vidyapith has opened a special department of commerce in the Gujarat Mahavidyalaya. It is proposed to give the students a thorough training, both theorotical and practical. It is proposed to arrange for a system of apprenticeship to give students an insight into actual business side by side with theorotical training.

RANGOON DIOCESAN CONFERENCE

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
RANGOON, July 21.

The Rangoon Diocesan Conference began on Monday evening when after the Bishop had opened the proceedings, the Lieutenant-Governor spoke. Referring to education in missionary schools Sir Reginald declined to anticipate that under the Reform Schemes education would receive a setback. If Europeans and Anglo-Indians can prove that they are doing their utmost and giving higher quality of teaching, the claim for commensurate assistance based on the concrete facts would not be denied.

ORDERS OF EXTERNMENT.

MADRAS CITIZENS' PROTEST.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, July 21.

Under the auspices of District Congress Committee, at a public meeting held this evening, Mr. A. Rangaswamy Iyengar presiding, resolutions were passed condemning the unjust and arbitrary orders of externment passed by the Government of Nizam and the Rajah of Puducottah against Mr. Paisley and others and Mr. Satyamurthy respectively, and appealing to the people in the Indian States to rouse themselves to a sense of their rights and take active share in the struggle for Swaraj.

A WARNING.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, July 20.

In view of recent assaults alleged to have been committed by Audhi Dravidas Mr. Moir, Labour Commissioner, has warned them against committing any aggressive acts and if the warning was unheaded said they would be dealt with severely.

MILITARY REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, July 20.

The Military Requirements Committee presided over by Lord Rawlinson have concluded their labours, and their report has been submitted to the Government of India.

Messrs. Pate Bros. of Kalyan have sent a donation of Rs. 101 to the Tilak Swaraj Fund. Messrs. Bhide Godbole and Co., V. G. Vaidya and a few others, have also contributed Rs. 174 among themselves and sent it to the Swaraj Fund through Messrs. Pate Bros.

UNJUSTIFIABLE.

INCREMENTS IN SALARIES OF OFFICIALS.

BOMBAY LIBERALS' PROTEST.

The Hon. Sir Dinshaw E. Wacha, the President of the Western India National Liberal Association has sent the following telegram to his Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State for India:—

"The Council of the Western India National Liberal Association emphatically protests against the proposed increments in the emoluments of the All-India Services as inferred from the recent replies of the Secretary of State in Parliament. They are of opinion that any further increment in the emoluments of the higher Services would be unjustifiable and trust that no action would be taken before the question is fully discussed in the Legislative Assembly.

GOUD SARASWAT BRAHMIN SCHOLARSHIP LEAGUE.

This institution was started in 1912 by some young men of North and South Kanara from amongst the Goud Saraswat community residing in Bombay to help by scholarships the poor students of the community. The League was started with only 7 members with an annual subscription of Rs. 36 and the number of members on the roll at present is 316 with an annual subscription of about Rs. 1,400.

The annual general meeting of the League was held on July 17th at the Office of the League at Motilal House No. 2, Tribhuvan Road, where the annual report for the year ending 31st March 1921 and the statement of accounts and the Budget for the next official year were duly proposed and adopted. The report stated that 23 High School and 2 College and Technical students were helped by the Institution during the year. The office-bearers and members of the Managing Committee and Advisory Board for the ensuing year were elected.

Before the Sessions Judge, Bangalore the trial began in a sensational murder case in which one Kondapur Siddegowda and 16 others are charged with the murder of Akkur Gundappa, an extensive landholder and late member, Mysore Representative Assembly. The Public Prosecutor assisted by Inspector Seshagiri opened the prosecution, while the accused were defended by Seshachar standing counsel and two others. Mrs. Westrop, first prosecution witness, deposed to her husband having possessed the kind of revolver produced in the Court, but denied knowledge of how the revolver was disposed of. There are in all 68 other witnesses for the prosecution and 123 for defence and the case is likely to last for over a fortnight.

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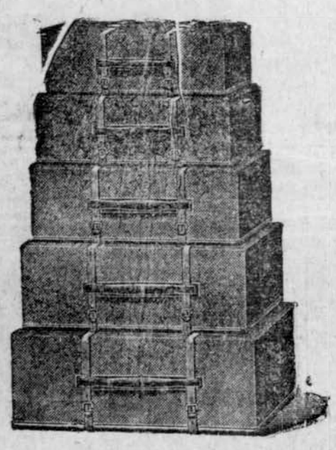

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HOSHANGABAD'S RESOLVE.

The Secretary of the District Congress Committee writes under date July 18th:—

Under the auspices of the District Congress Committee, a meeting of the cloth merchants of Hoshangabad was held on 17th instant under the presidentship of Seth Nanhelal Bazaz when the following resolutions, were unanimously passed:—

(1) We the cloth merchants of Hoshangabad town unanimously resolve that from the 17th July 1921 we will not purchase any foreign cloth from outside the limit of Hoshangabad town, and will encourage the use of Swadeshi goods and will also not purchase any foreign cloth from any agent coming to Hoshangabad for the sale of the same.

(2) Cloth merchants and the Congress Committee will be at liberty by peaceful means to stop the sale of foreign cloth of any merchant who orders foreign cloth in contravention of the first resolution and the merchant so prevented will have no objection for the peaceful process of boycott of his foreign cloth.

(3) It is further resolved that we the cloth merchants will ourselves use Swadeshi cloth and that too made on Indian hand looms as far as possible.

CLOSING OF LIQUOR SHOPS.

A special meeting of the Municipal Committee Hoshangabad was held today when the letter of the Municipal Committee Nagpore and the applications of the citizens of Hoshangabad regarding the closure of the liquor shops within the limits of the Hoshangabad was considered, and it was unanimously resolved that Government be requested to close all the liquor shops within the limits of the Municipality.

U. P. GOVT. AND THE "INDEPENDENT"

REFUSAL TO ACCEDE TO GOVT. DEMANDS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, July 21

The "Independent" publishes the correspondence between the United Provinces Government and Messrs. Jawaharilal Nehru, George Joseph and Ranga Iyer of the "Independent." The letters of Government draw attention to certain extracts and speeches and says before taking action it has been decided to give them 'locus paenitentiae' if they will express regret and undertake not to publish in future statements nor make speeches directly or indirectly inciting to violence. All the three gentlemen have replied to the effect that they cannot express regret and can give no undertaking.

BAGALKOT CONDEMNS DHARWAR SHOOTING

(From a Correspondent.)

BAGALKOT, July 20.

A public meeting was held at Bagalkot yesterday. It strongly condemned inhuman atrocities committed by the police at Dharwar and also the present mode of enquiry and trial, which could not in any way command public confidence, unless an independent commission was appointed. Dharwar people were requested not to be swayed by personal or sectional feelings, or official pressure and heartily congratulated the arrested patriots for their courage and patience and expressed condolence to the bereaved families of the dead. Rs. 126 were collected on the spot for the help of the sufferers.

DABHOLKAR CHARITY TRUST.

The Hon. Secretary, Dabholkar Scholarships Advisory Board writes:—

The following Scholarships have been awarded by the Scholarships Advisory Board from the Dabholkar Charity Trusts, for year ending 31st March, 1921, to poor and deserving students of the Goud Saraswat Brahman Community:—

Art Course 15 Scholarships of the value of Rs. 134 per month; Medical Course 9 Scholarships of the value of Rs. 90 per month; Engineering Course 7 Scholarships of the value of Rs. 75 per month; Agricultural Course 1 Scholarship of the value of Rs. 8 per month; Science Course 1 Scholarship of the value of Rs. 10 per month.

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Mr. H. S. Wilson, Partner, Messrs. Finley Fleming and Coy., and a manager of the Burmah Oil Company, in Rangoon died on Wednesday after a fortnight's illness. The funeral ceremony took place on Thursday morning and was very largely attended. (A.P.)

A Lahore message of July 21 says, Mr. T. P. Ellis, Legal Remembrancer of the Punjab has been granted eight months' leave with effect from July 20. Mr. M. H. Harrison will take over the charge on reversion from the High Court at the beginning of the vacation, Rai Bahadur Jai Lal holding charge in the meantime.

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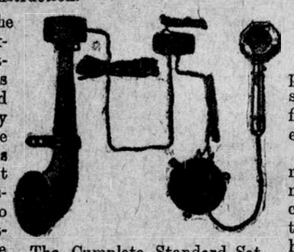

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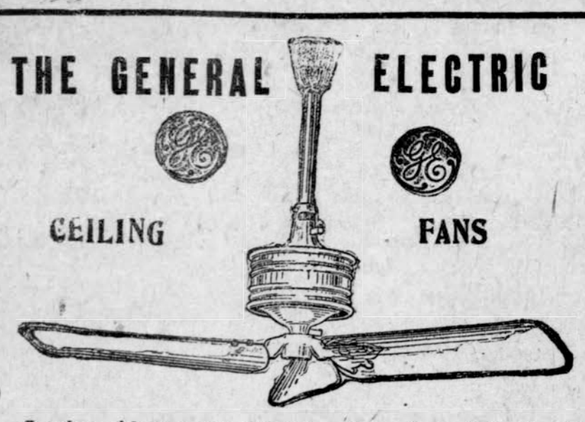

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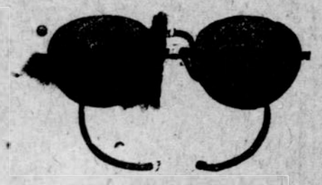

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GONDAL RAILWAY STRIKE.

DISLOCATION OF TRADE.

(From a Correspondent.)

RAJKOT, July 19.

The 17th day of the strike situation is unchanged. The Gondal Durbar does not reply to the strikers' wire respecting Mahatma Gandhi's arbitration. This has accentuated disconent. The Morvi Durbar supplying more men every day, with the avowed object of prolonging and thereby breaking the strike. Mr. Patwari, Diwan, Gondal, went specially to Morvi to secure more men and returned yesterday with some 15 untrained young men. At Rajkot junction station Patwari assumed a very threatening attitude towards the strikers and their Association officers, and asked them to give up their officers and directly approach the Durbar, otherwise they would lose their services and would be fined. He alleged that the strikers were being helped out of the Tilak Swaraj Fund which statement was emphatically repudiated at once by the Secretary of the Association.

SYMPATHY WITH STRIKERS.

The Kathiawad Hitavardhak Sabha held an emergency meeting on the evening of 17th deprecating the action of the manager in issuing notices of dismissal and of forfeiture of bonus and pay, without offering any terms to the strikers, and it sympathised with the strikers because their grievances were purely economic and further suggest to the Gondal Durbar, the appointment of a conciliation board or arbitrators as the pay of the Gondal Railway staff was lower than that of the Bhavnagar Railway staff.

The Kathiawad trade is greatly affected by this dislocation and the prices are rapidly rising, causing economic tension. in spite of representations from the various trade centres to the Gondal Durbar, which still remains indifferent.

HITWARDHAK SABHA'S SUGGESTION

The following resolution was passed at the Executive Committee meeting of the Kathiawad Hitwardhak Sebha on the 17th instant:—

The Kathiawad Hitwardhak Sabha regrets that the strike on the Gendal State Railway still continues to the great inconvenience of the travelling public and detriment to the trade of the Province. The Sabha disapproves the action of the Manager in serving notice of dismissal to the strikers if they did not join service on the 10th July, without first giving them a promise that their legitimate grievances would be impartially considered and duly redressed. The Sabha is also pained to learn that, in a further notice, the strikers are told that their bonus and one month' pay have been forfeited for leaving service without one month's notice.

The Sabha sympathises with the strikers because some of their grievanses are purely economic and appear to be just. The Sabha is informed that the pay of the Gondal State Railway staff is compartively lower than that of the staff of the Bhavnagar State Railway, which has a smaller mileage and has to cope with no greater traffic than the Gondal Railway. The Sabha is not in a position to say whether the pay on Bhavnagar Railway is adequate or not, nor does it point to it as a standard.

The Sabha urges that the strikers grievances should be considered independently on public grounds and that to this intent His Highness the Thakore Saheb of Gondal would consent to the appointment of an impartial Conciliation Board or arbitrators, with power to fix the rates of pay of the Gondal State Railway staff, after considering the present high prices, and to redress their legitimate grievances with a due regard to the just interests of the employees. If His Highness does so, the Sabha will use its best endeavours to persuade the strikers to resume work at once.

ACCIDENT AT BANGALORE RACES.

(Associated Press.)

BANGALORE, July 21.

An exceedingly sad accident occurred at the Gymkhana Races on Tuesday evening to Corporal Bennet of Queens Bays riding Linoleum in first race. On the way home, within a short distance of the judge's box, horse fell pinning rider under him. Both were immediately extricated. Bennet was taken to a hospital in a motor ambulance being in precarious condition, doctors on the spot pronouncing injury to be fracture of thigh.

PICKETS SENTENCED AT GOKAK.

(From a Correspondent.)

BELGAUM, July 19.

The following gentlemen of the Congress and Khilafat Committees, Gokak, who were doing picketing work have been convicted and sentenced today for rioting, etc., alleged to have taken place in a temperance meeting held at Gokak in May last. Samser Mahamadsaheb is sentenced to four months and a fine of Rs. 50 to Keshavrao Joshi, Balaji, Kurbet, Umar Saheb to three months and fine Rs. 50 each. Usman Saheb Husen Saheb, Dastgir Saheb, Shamser Khajee Saheb, Raghunath Rao Masajan, Mahomed Saheb Rasalsaheb, Rajesaheb to two months and Rs. 50 each. All the accused received the sentences cheerfully. Large crowds cheered them with national cries. The accused were garlanded and taken to jail, followed by a crowd which showed admirable self-restraint.

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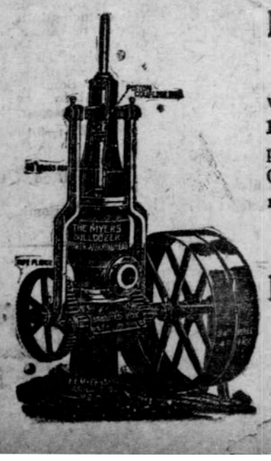

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CHARKHA IN ASSAM.

PROGRESS OF N. C. O.

A correspondent from Tezpur (Assam) writes that the non-cooperation movement is every day having a stronger foothold there. The people had already subscribed their quota to the Tilak Swarajya Fund and the Congress Committee is enlisting members for the Congress as far as possible. About *Charkha* he writes that it is not a new thing there and every household possesses at least one if not more. The handloom with a Charkha forms a part of the marriage gift to the bride from her paternal home. In addition to the spinning of cotton, that of *Endi*, *Muga* and *Pat* constitutes the bulk of cottage spinning industry throughout he Assamese speaking part of the province. As regards temperance the Congress workers are achieving great success in their attempt to refrain people from indulging in intoxicating liquors and drugs. Opium which since the establishment of British rule there is eating into the vitals of the people, especially of the rural classes, is becoming rarer and rarer as the dinning into their ears about Mahatma Gandhi's appeal to the country is becoming a routine work of the Congress workers. The Excise authorities in the District are leaving no stone unturned in their attempts to dissuade ignorant people from giving up their drug habit. But the people seem to be wiser in their sense of patriotism today than what they were a few years back to take any heed to the enticement of the agents of the mercenary bureaucracy.

He further writes that the Deputy Commissioner of that place is so much intent upon combating the Non-Cooperation movement that he has been exercising his executive powers quite indiscriminately. The D. C. is said to have confiscated two guns possessed by a Nepali resident of the district, whose forefathers had settled down there generations back under the power vested upon the D. C. by the Act III of 1864, because the Napali had subscribed to the Tilak Swarajya Fund.

MAULANA ABUL KALAM'S HEALTH.

The Secretary of the Bengal Provincial Khilafat Committee wires under date July 20, in reply to numerous letters and telegrams received from various places, enquiring about the health of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, I have been instructed to state that the Maulana is much better now and that he has left for Bombay to attend the meeting of the All-India Congress Committee.

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(From a Correspondent.)

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Pandit Shersinghji, late editor of the Sabhyata, Muzaffarnagar, delivered he interesting speech at Nasirabad where he strongly appealed the audience to boycott foreign cloth, and added that twenty-five cloth merchants had given written promise not to order for foreign cloth at present and to follow the mandate of the country in future.

A mass meeting of the Cawnpore citizens held under presidenship of Maulana Azad-Subhani on the 19th July resolved that complete boycott of foreign cloths should be instituted from the 1st August. The meeting also condemned the arrests of Maulana Nisar Ahmad, Cawnpore, Mr. Sherwani, of Aligarh, and Mr. Arif Haswi.

An Amraoti correspondent wires under date July 20th:—"All the seventeen picketing volunteers who were charged under section 454 I. P. C., for alleged breaking of a liquor shop here are acquitted."

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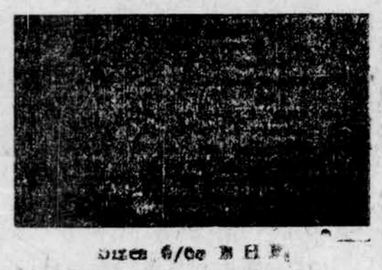

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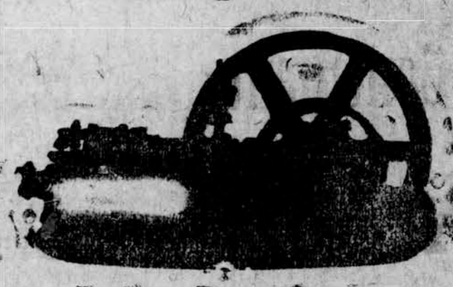

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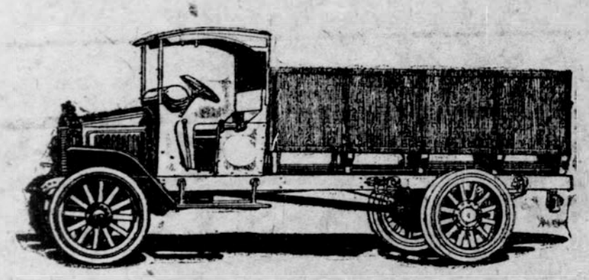

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